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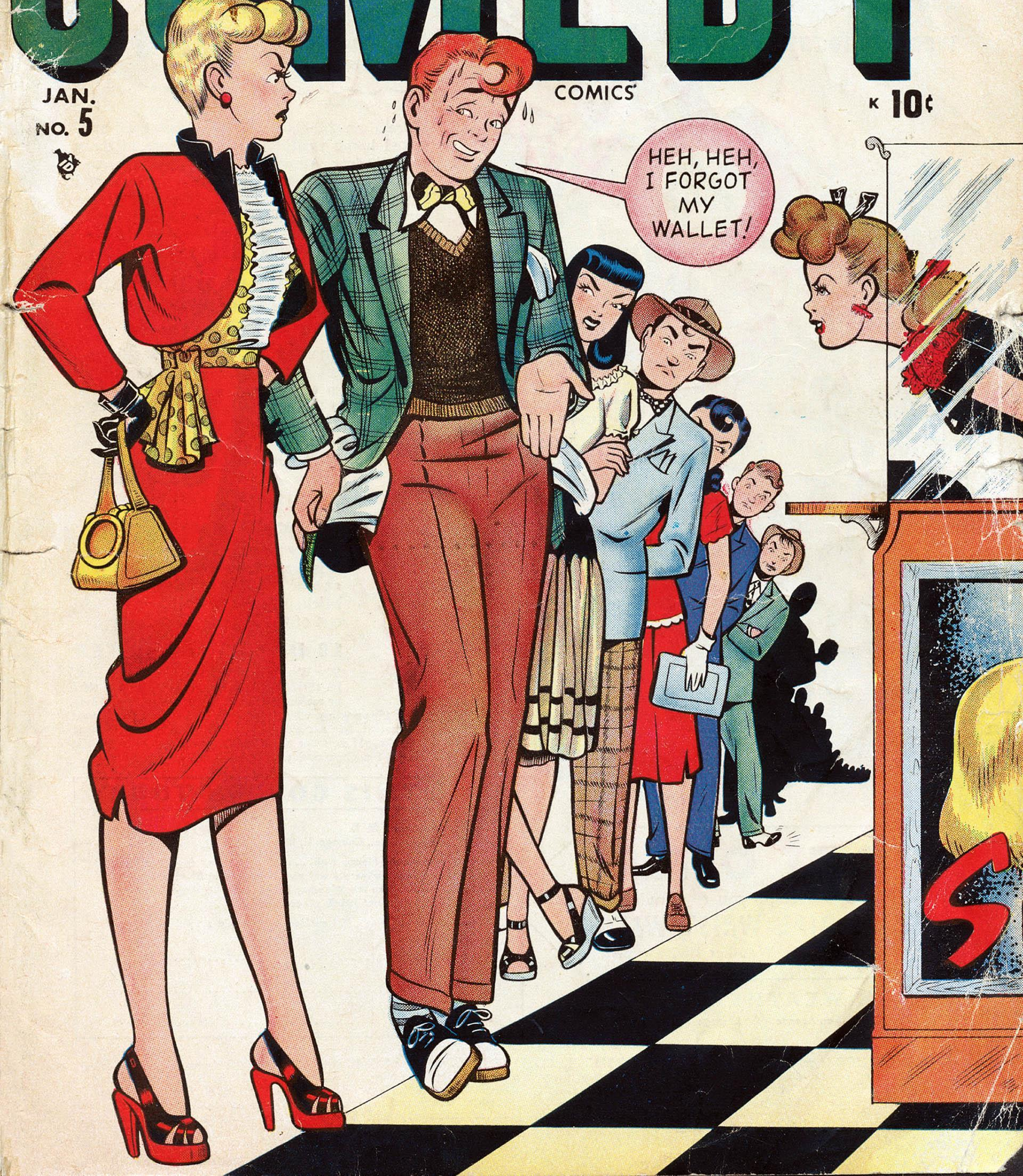
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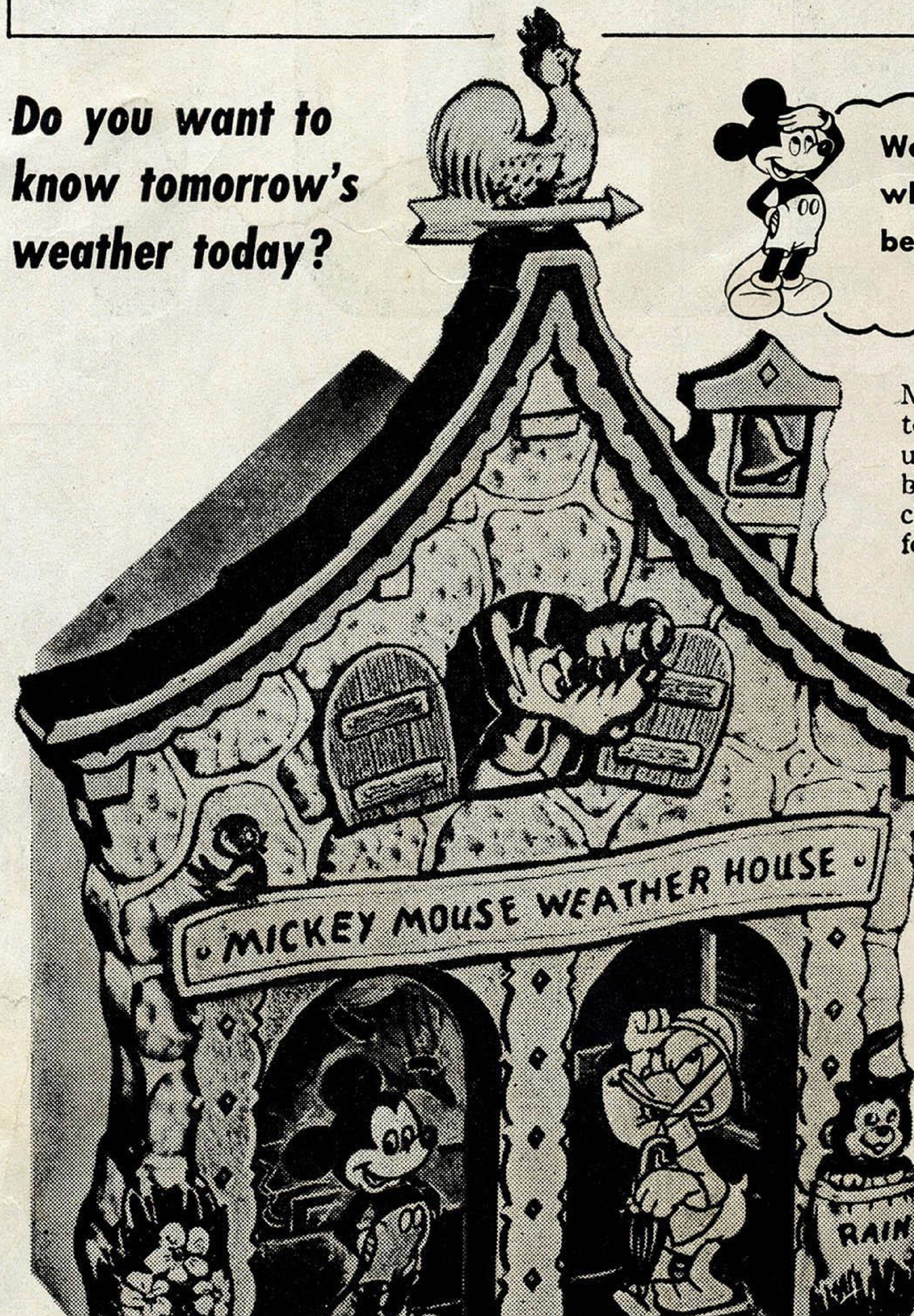

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HEDY DE VINE

"HEDY'S HOUND!"

I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU'RE SO SAD, BOOPSIE! I'VE RECEIVED DOZENS OF LETTERS FROM FELLOWS ASKING TO LEAD THE DOG'S LIFE YOU LEAD!
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WHERE IS SHE? WHERE'S HEDY? HOW CAN I SHOOT A PICTURE WITHOUT MY STAR?
CECIL TRUMPET
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IO MINUTES LATER...
AH, THERE YOU ARE, GABBY! MAYBE YOU CAN TELL ME... WHERE'S HEDY? ALWAYS SHE'S LATE! ALWAYS LATE!
WHAT CAN I DO, CECIL? IT'S ONLY 10% MY FAULT! I'M ONLY HER AGENT!
MY GOODNESS, WHAT'S HAPPENED? NOW EVERYBODY'S GONE! I'M NOT ONLY MISSING A STAR BUT THE WHOLE CAST!
WAIT! I THINK I HEAR VOICES OUTSIDE THE STUDIO!
ISN'T SHE GORGEOUS?
SHE'S THE MOST BEAUTFUL THING I'VE EVER SEEN!
OH, YOU'RE ALL TOO KIND!
?
IT'S HEDY! ISN'T IT WONDERFUL HOW EVERYBODY LOVES HER?
IT ISN'T HEDY THEY'RE FUSSING OVER!
HUH?
THEN WHO?
OH, THEY'RE JUST ACTING LIKE A LOT OF FOOLS OVER SOME YOUNG PUP!
WHAT'S GOING ON HERE? ARE WE SHOOTING PICTURES OR PLAYING GAMES? I WANT AN EXPLANATION!
OH, OH! CHEEZ IT... THE GENIUS!
HELLO, YOU DARLINGS! LOOK WHOM I BROUGHT! BOOPSIE!

HEDY, HOW COULD YOU DO THIS TO ME? FIRST YOU COME IN LATE, HOLDING UP PRODUCTION, AND THEN YOU DISRUPT MY WHOLE SET WITH A POOCH!
SHE'S NOT A POOCH! SHE'S A SWEET, LITTLE LADY!
TAKE HER AWAY! I WANT NO POOCHES ON MY SET!
OH, CECIL, DARLING, IT BREAKS MY HEART TO LEAVE HER AT HOME... SHE GETS SO LONELY!
LOOK, CECIL, SHE LOVES YOU!
(HEE, HEE!) (HEH, HEH, HEH!) SHE DOES? (HEE, HEE!) WELL! SMART LITTLE POOCHIE!
WELL, SHE'S SUCH A LITTLE POOCHIE! I GUESS SHE CAN'T BE TOO MUCH TROUBLE!
CECIL, YOU DARLING! YOU'LL SEE! SHE WON'T BE ANY TROUBLE AT ALL!
SMACK!
YOU'D DO ANYTHING TO ATTRACT ATTENTION! YOU'LL EVEN RESORT TO A DOG!
WHY DON'T YOU GET A DOG, SANDRA? YOU MIGHT FINALLY ATTRACT SOMETHING.. EVEN IF IT'S JUST ANOTHER DOG!
HUMPH! NASTY BEAST!
R-R-ARF! R-R-R-ARF! ARF! ARF! ARF!
BETTER CLEAR OUT, SANDRA! BOOPSIE NEVER DID LIKE CATS!
EVERYBODY ON THE SET!
NOW, BOOPSIE, YOU SIT RIGHT HERE AND BE A GOOD GIRL! NICE GABBY WILL LOOK AFTER YOU!
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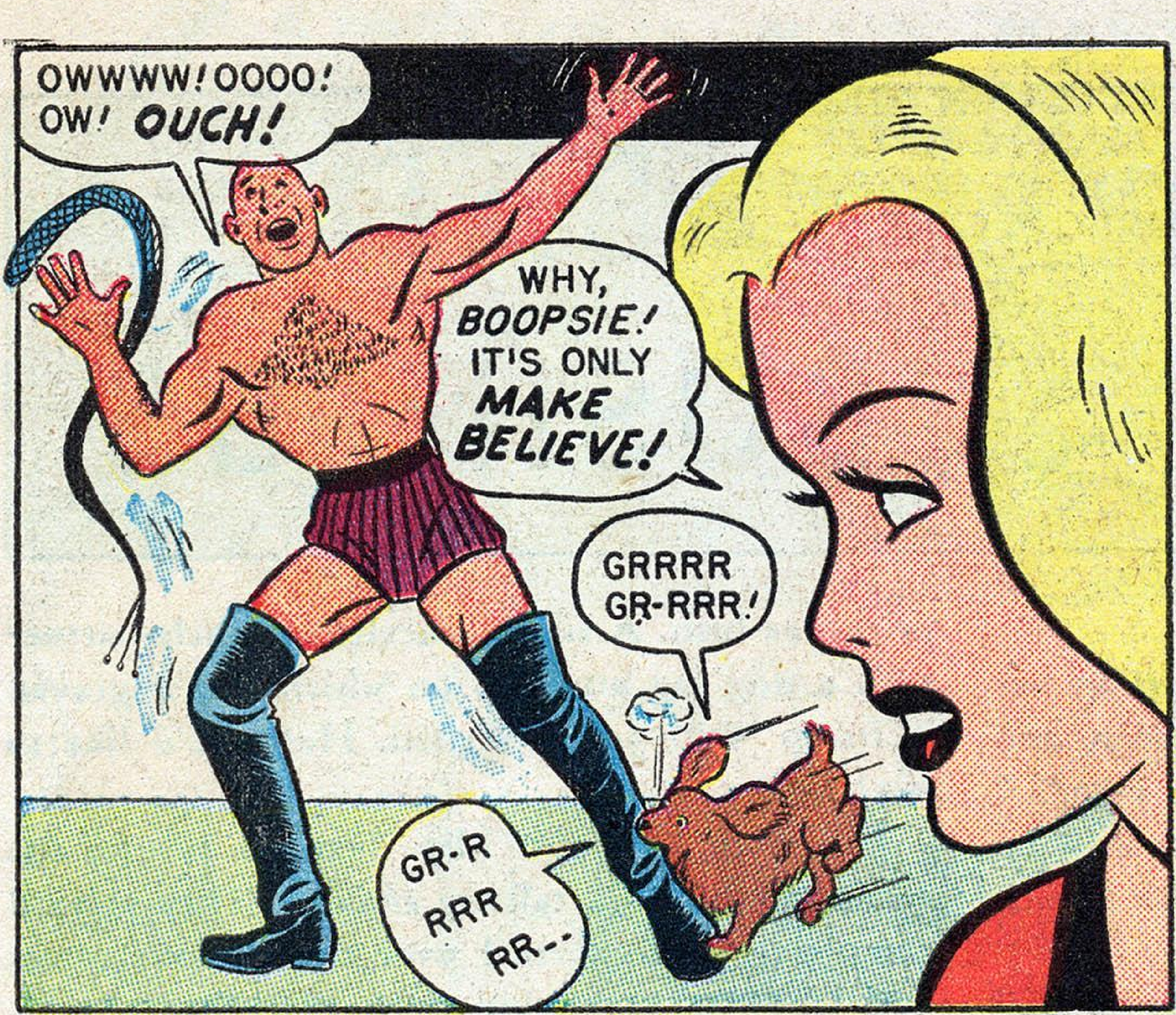
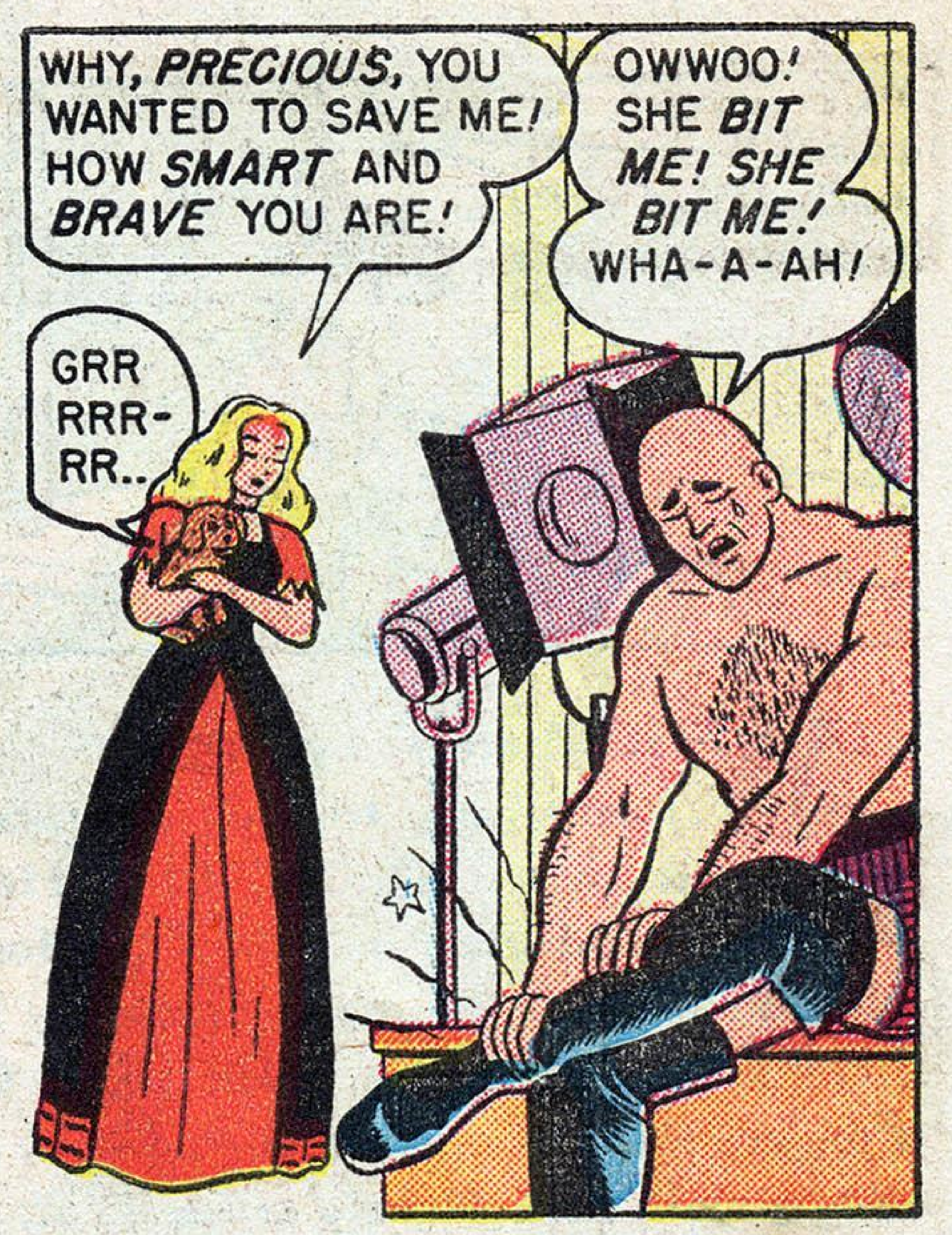
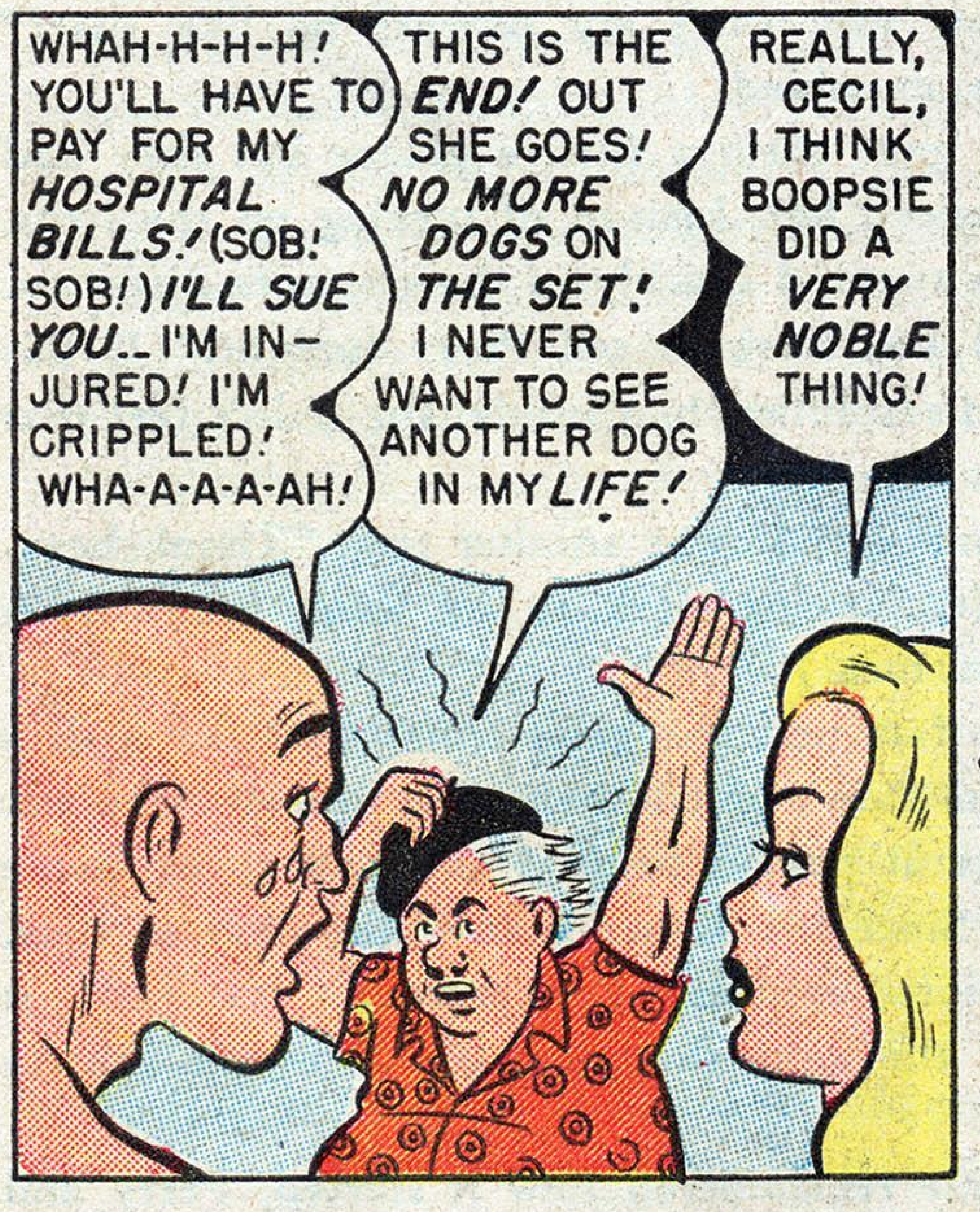
AND SO THE SHOOTING BEGINS..
GABBY, MR. LE GRAND WANTS TO SEE YOU IN HIS OFFICE IMMEDIATELY!
GOSH, THE BIG BOSS! I'LL GET RIGHT OVER THERE!
LOOKS LIKE BOOPSIE IS ON HER OWN..
I OFFER YOU MY KINGDOM! THE ONLY ONE WHO SHALL EVER SHARE THIS THRONE WITH ME IS *YOU, MY PRINCESS!*
CUT! CUT!
WHEN WE GET TO THIS LINE I WANT A REAL CLOSE-UP, RIGHT ON THE ROYAL THRONE! MAKE IT *BIG! IMPORTANT!* GOT IT?
OKAY, I'LL ZOOM RIGHT IN!
THE CAMERAS ROLL...
I OFFER YOU MY KINGDOM!
THE ONLY ONE WHO SHALL EVER SHARE THIS THRONE WITH ME, IS...
BOOPSIE!
GET THE POOCH *OUT OF HERE!*
IF BOOPSIE GOES, I GO WITH HER!
ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT, SHE STAYS! BUT I KNOW I'LL REGRET IT!

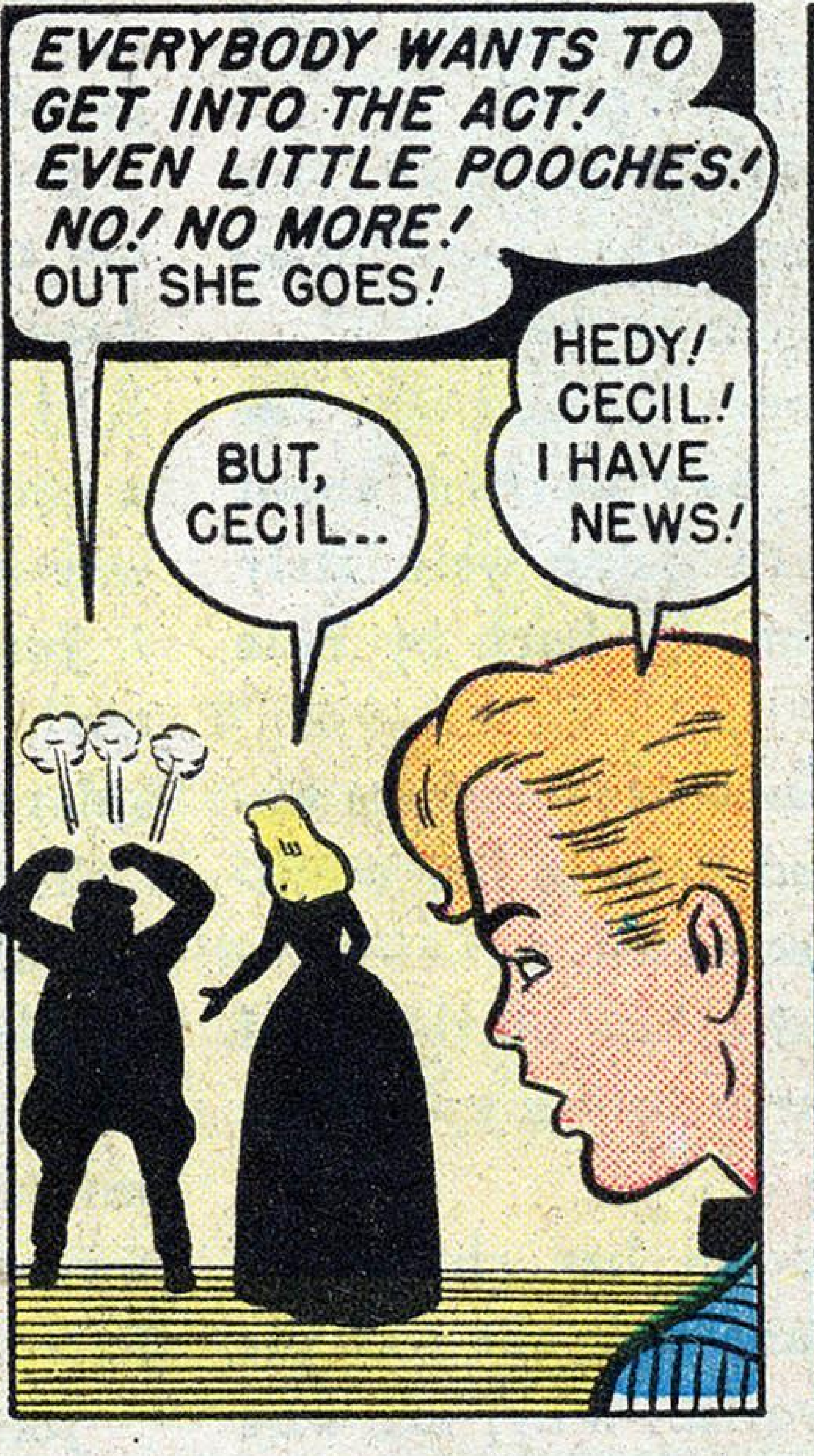
NOW, BOOPSIE, YOU STAY HERE WITH CLARENCE! SEE, CECIL- SHE'LL BE NO TROUBLE AT ALL!
CLARENCE... DON'T LET HER OUT OF YOUR SIGHT!
MAKE-UP DEPT.
BUT..
GET OFF MY LAP, YOU LITTLE CUR! I HAVE NO USE FOR BEASTIES!
OH! OH ...
SNIFF! SNIFF!
STUDIO MAKE-UP KIT
A-AH CHEW!
OH..YOU WOULD!
POWDER
I'LL CATCH YOU.. YOU..LITTLE.. OOOOOPS!
SOON HE WILL COME TO RESCUE ME! HE WILL CRASH THROUGH THE CASTLE GATES AND..AH! I HEAR SOMEONE COMING NOW! BUT WHO?
BOOPSIE! WHY, BOOPSIE, HOWEVER DID YOU GET HERE? AND WHAT'S HAPPENED TO YOU!
NO, THEY CAN'T DO THIS TO ME! CUT! CUT! AND TELL ME IT ISN'T TRUE!

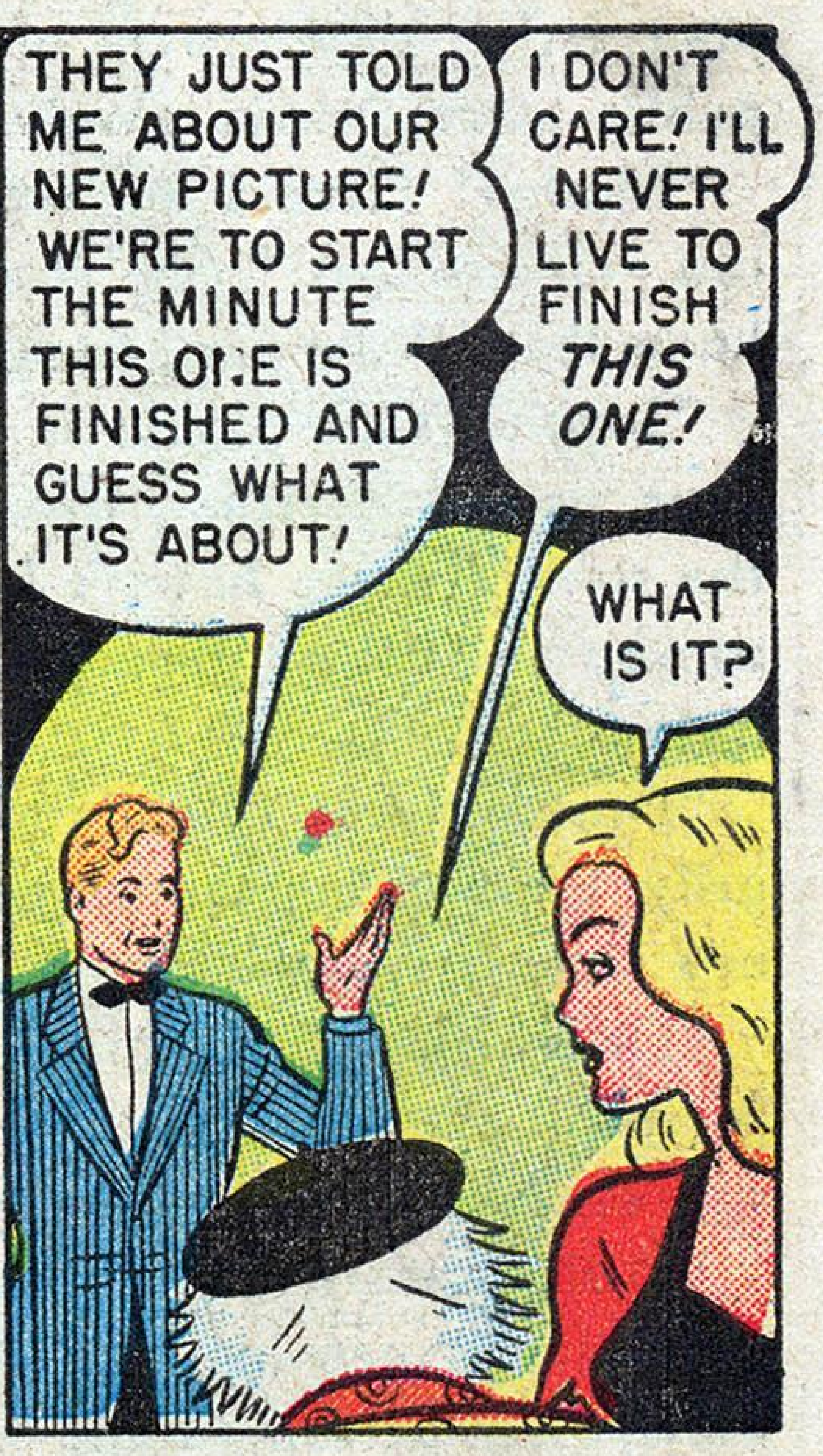
WE'LL LEAVE HER RIGHT *HERE* WHERE WE CAN *ALL* WATCH HER!
PLEASE..DON'T LET HER OUT OF YOUR SIGHT! *I'M BEGGING YOU* FOR THE SAKE OF MY SCHEDULE AND MY SANITY..*PLEASE!*
SCRIPT GIRL
NOW, BOOPSIE! YOU *WILL* BE A GOOD GIRL WON'T YOU? YOUR WORD?
PLEASE DON'T THINK *BADLY* OF BOOPSIE! SHE'S JUST LIKE EVERBODY ELSE IN HOLLYWOOD-SHE WANTS TO BE A *MOVIE STAR!*
NOW I HAVE *POOCHES* WANTING AUDITIONS! *ENOUGH!* LET'S GO TO WORK!
AT LAST..PRODUCTION GETS UNDER WAY...
CUT! GREAT FOLKS! THAT WAS THE FINAL TAKE! MAKE YOUR CHANGES AND GET READY FOR THE DUNGEON SCENE!
BUT THINGS ARE TOO QUIET TO LAST...
HA, HA, HA, HEH, HEH, HEH.. HAHA-A-A-A! NOW YOU WON'T LOOK SO *PRETTY!*
NO!
GRR-R-R-R-R-R-R-R--
NO! NO! NO! NO! EEEE-E-E-E-EEE--
BOOPSIE! COME BACK!
GR-R-R-R-ARF!

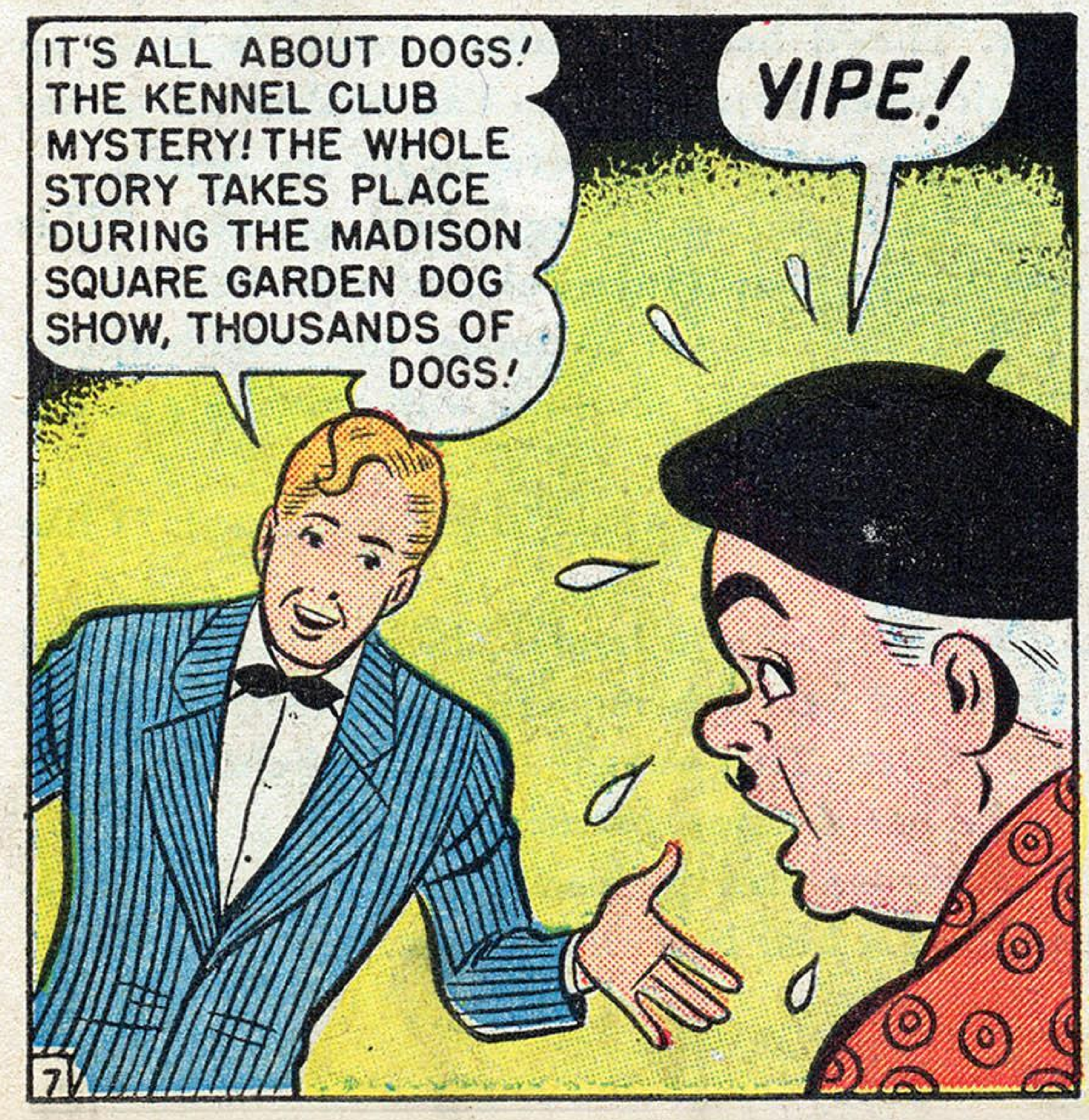

OWWWW! OOOO! OW! OUCH!
WHY, BOOPSIE! IT'S ONLY MAKE BELIEVE!
GRRRR GR-RRR!
GR-R RRR RR..

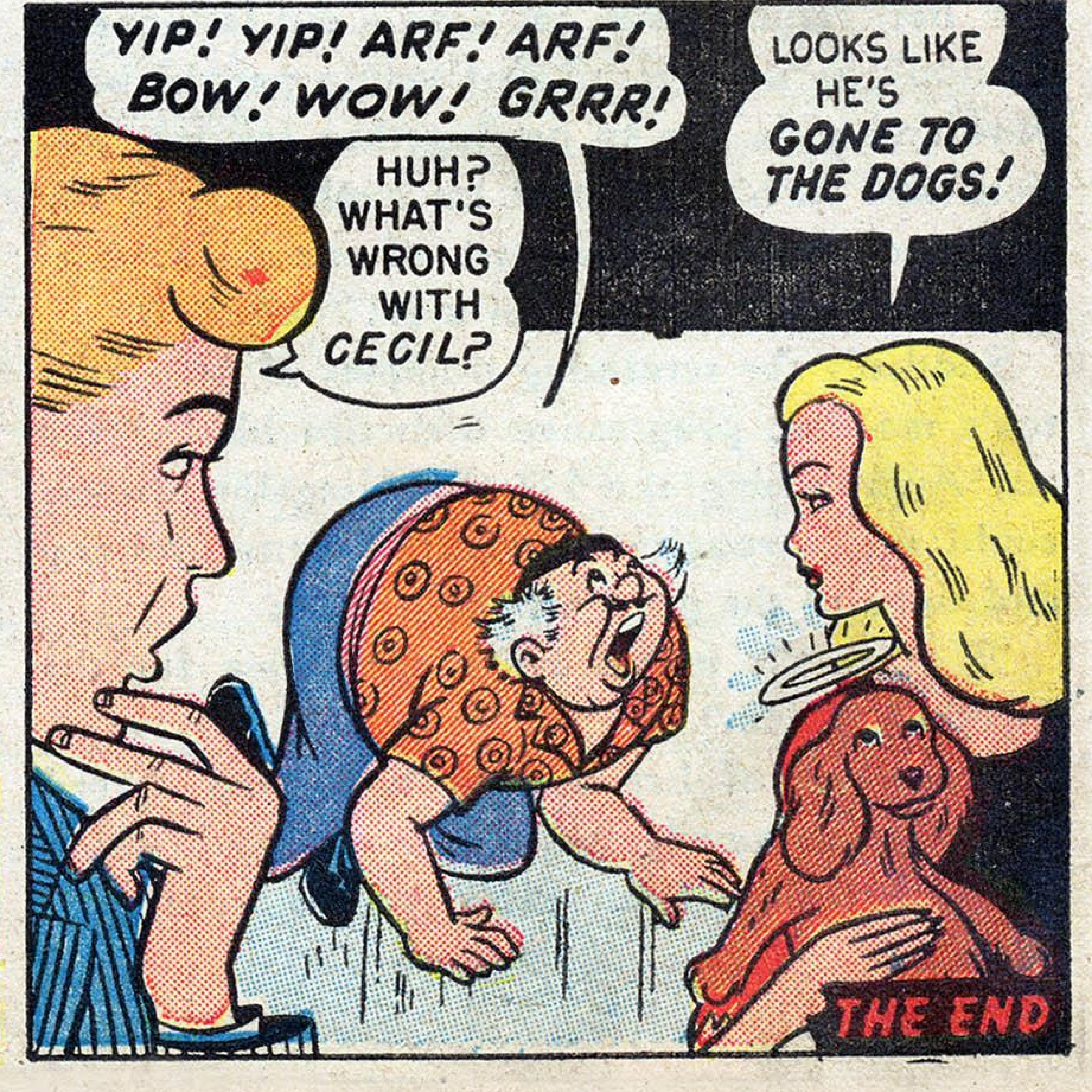

WHY, PRECIOUS, YOU WANTED TO SAVE ME! HOW SMART AND BRAVE YOU ARE!
OWWOO! SHE BIT ME! SHE BIT ME! WHA-A-AH!
GRR RRR-RR..

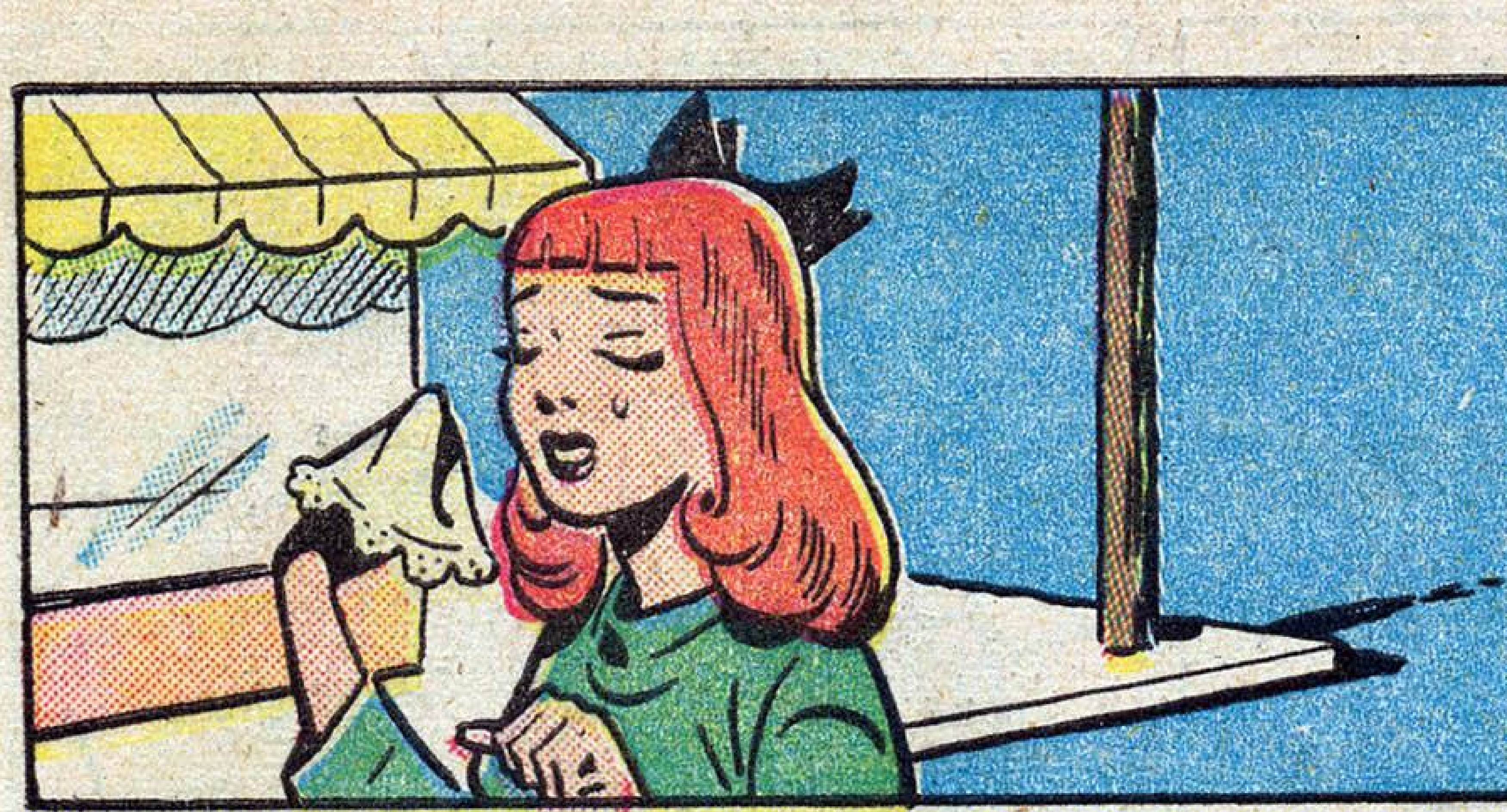

WHAH-H-H-H! YOU'LL HAVE TO PAY FOR MY HOSPITAL BILLS! (SOB! SOB!) I'LL SUE YOU.. I'M INJURED! I'M CRIPPLED! WHA-A-A-A-AH!
THIS IS THE END! OUT SHE GOES! NO MORE DOGS ON THE SET! I NEVER WANT TO SEE ANOTHER DOG IN MY LIFE!
REALLY, CECIL, I THINK BOOPSIE DID A VERY NOBLE THING!


EVERYBODY WANTS TO GET INTO THE ACT! EVEN LITTLE POOCHES! NO! NO MORE! OUT SHE GOES!
BUT, CECIL..
HEDY! CECIL! I HAVE NEWS!


THEY JUST TOLD ME ABOUT OUR NEW PICTURE! WE'RE TO START THE MINUTE THIS ONE IS FINISHED AND GUESS WHAT IT'S ABOUT!
I DON'T CARE! I'LL NEVER LIVE TO FINISH THIS ONE!
WHAT IS IT?


IT'S ALL ABOUT DOGS! THE KENNEL CLUB MYSTERY! THE WHOLE STORY TAKES PLACE DURING THE MADISON SQUARE GARDEN DOG SHOW, THOUSANDS OF DOGS!
YIPE!


YIP! YIP! ARF! ARF! BOW! WOW! GRRR!
HUH? WHAT'S WRONG WITH CECIL?
LOOKS LIKE HE'S GONE TO THE DOGS!
THE END



BAD BUSINESS

"WHERE are you going?"

Joanie came tripping downstairs in her new sports coat. "Oh-h-h, Betty Hanson and I thought we'd drop into the Grill for a soda." Her eyes evaded her mother's as they looked up from the sewing basket. Glancing in the mirror she gave a pat to the silvery-gold hair.

"Joanie!" Mrs. Blakely cried, "You know that your father disapproves of your hanging about public places where rowdy boys are!"

"Mother! Here I am sixteen years old! How can you say that?" She stomped her foot. "You know that all the gang hang out at the Grill!"

"Joanie! Your father is only looking out for your welfare. Besides, dear, he's worried about the store. Things haven't been going well lately so you mustn't aggravate him. Be back by nine o'clock."

"Nine o'clock!" Joanie started to retaliate angrily, but noticing the worried lines in her mother's face, her own features softened.

"Okay, Mom." She planted a kiss on the tired forehead even though the large brown eyes were still evasive.

Outside, tears splashed down her cheeks. It was a lovely evening but Joanie felt she was the unhappiest person in the world. Why, oh why did her father have to be so old-fashioned? Couldn't he understand that young people, both boys and girls like to get together for jam sessions and such? Now that his clothing store for men and boys, had dropped off steadily in business, he was crankier than ever!

Suddenly the screaming trumpets of Stan Benton's modern, progressive orchestra blasted the air. Approaching the Hanson bungalow Joanie could see, through the window, Betty, Johnny and some of the gang whipping it up.

"I guess the bunch are congregating for the practice session."

Teen-agers of her neighborhood had agreed to throw a contest for the couple who could swing out with the grooviest Lindy performance. The prize was lush. A silver bracelet for each partner with a dog tag attached on which was engraved "Champ '48"! Joanie sighed. How she'd like to win!

Just then Mr. and Mrs. Hanson turned the corner of the yard, talking amiably. They seemed completely unconcerned over the riotious music and laughter emanating from their home.

"Now why can't my parents be like that?" Joanie mumbled.

She gave them a furtive glance but they had not noticed her. Instead of turning up the steps, Joanie swerved quickly in the opposite direction.

"I'll just have to tell Perry tonight!" It was a good resolution but, inside, she didn't feel that way at all.

Joanie wiped away another tear. "Thank heavens! It's getting dark so he won't see what a splatter face I am!"

The fact was, the gang considered her a drip and she didn't blame them. She was always a wet blanket at parties because she had to be home early. Since her father didn't allow her to date, invitations couldn't be returned. Naturally it meant the cold shoulder, which wasn't fair to Perry!

Joanie remembered how it started, Perry and her. They'd been at Elaine's having a bang up affair when Perry Keenan had walked up to her pulling a gob of taffy between his big hands.

"You know something," he'd grinned. "This candy just matches the color of your hair!"

Suddenly, he was no longer the neighborhood ruffian but a nice someone with freckles and auburn hair.

"And you know what?" He'd continued. "I like them both!"

Knowing what a hoofer she was the boys had showered her with requests to be their tutor for the contest. That was the night she'd chosen Perry to be her dancing partner.

Everyone had giggled, know he was as awkward as a bull in a china shop.

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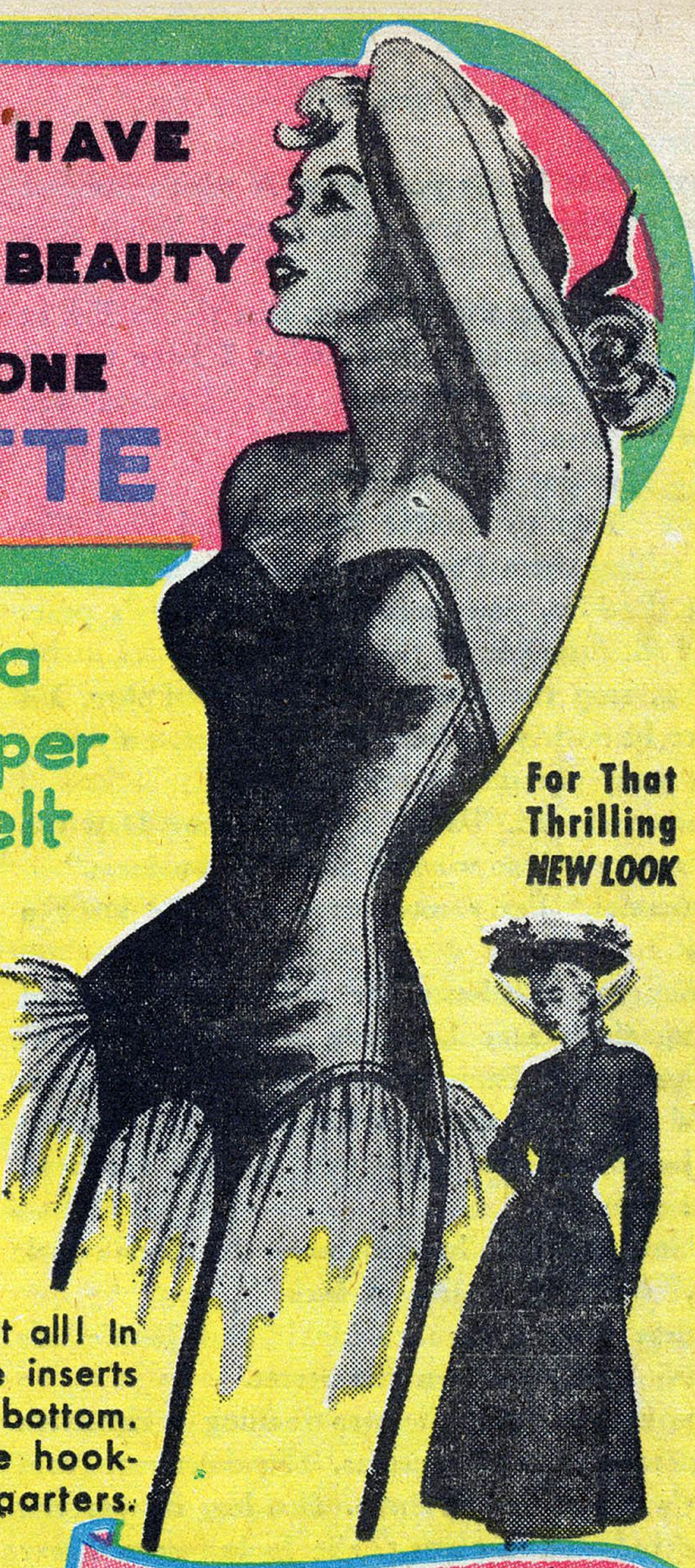

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"That's all right, Kitten, we'll show 'em!" Perry had laughed.

Joanie was in the park now. A youth jumped up from a bench. "Gee whiz, Joanie! What kept you?"

"I was talking with Mother. She thinks I'm at Betty Hanson's, only that's what I have to tell you, Perry," she sat down weakly. "I mustn't see you any more!"

His eyes popped. "Huh?"

"It's cheap to deceive Mother and Dad like this, telling them I'm one place when I'm at another. Besides, you ought to be at Betty's practicing with the rest of the gang."

"Aw, stop the martyr stuff, Joan of Arc. I'd rather be with you than win a contest, only why can't your parents be sensible?"

Joanie sighed. "Well, I can't blame Dad too much since he's so worried about his business."

"Mmmm," Perry murmured as if he knew a secret.

They sat in silence for awhile, then started talking about school. Joanie broke into peals of laughter when Perry mimicked Miss Teasberry, who'd panicked them in English class, looking for her eyeglasses. They were on her forehead all the time.

Joanie leaped to her feet when the clock struck nine. "Bye, Perry—lots of luck!"

"Hey, wait! I have an idea!" But Joanie was already running down the street.

Two weeks later she was reading a detective novel without much success. The downbeat from Betty's house didn't help. Besides, it was the night before the contest, she hadn't seen Perry and her father's business had dropped off to *nothing!*

Just then she heard her father come home from the store. Joanie slipped downstairs to the living room. She nearly fainted at what she saw. There, big as life, were Perry and his dad!

"And I tell you, Ed," goodnatured Mr. Keenan was saying, "After you've joined the Rotary you'll have more business than you can handle! Only—ahem—we'd better discuss that other little matter."

"Of course, Tom!" Mr. Blakely turned to Joanie, "In the meantime, daughter, will you talk to this young man while I speak with his father in the study?"

Joanie thought she caught a wink between the two Keenans.

When the fathers had left the room she had her chance. Perry was sitting there looking like the canary that has suddenly swallowed the cat!

She jumped him. "What in the world have you cooked up, Perry Keenan?"

"Oh," he grinned, casually chewing gum, "I explained to Pops about your father's business and how was a guy going to win the Lindy contest when his gal wasn't even allowed to date him—so-o-o, he helped me figure out a plan. I only hope it works!"

At that moment Mr. Blakely stuck his head out of the doorway. He looked happier than he had for weeks. "By the way, Tom and I will be talking for quite sometime, so why don't you two youngsters run over to the Hanson home to practice up for that shindig tomorrow night? After all, we're counting on you kids to win that prize!"

"We certainly are, dear!" Mrs. Blakely suddenly entered carrying a tray of coffee and looking quite merry.

If the universe had exploded, Joanie could have scarcely gotten a bigger shock. She didn't have time to faint for Perry immediately yanked her out the door into the cool night.

"Yippee! It worked!" His heels clicked together. "You see, the parents are all sore at your dad. They think he's a snob because he won't let you associate with their kids. Naturally they're not going to patronize his business. That's what Pop's just been telling him!"

"Gracious!" Joanie gasped.

"Everything's going to be all right though, because Pop's president of the Rotary and he's invited your dad to join. That'll patch things up with the parents!"

"Then that's why business was so bad!"

"Well, partly!" Perry grinned foxily. "I set the fellows wise and they high-pressured your dad by not buying anything. It was the only way to make him ripe for Pop's advice!"

"Oh, Perry, how could you!"

"All's fair in love and war. Besides, maybe this will make up for it. We're all going down there tomorrow to buy our new duds for the dance! You see they agreed to, if I won a bet I made with them—that you'd show up here at Betty's tonight!"

The music sounded sweet as they entered the Hansom home, but especially the cheery greetings of the gang.

"I know we'll win the contest, Perry. My luck has changed!" Joanie sighed deliciously. "I'm the happiest girl in the world!" SL-4150

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WHAT'S UP, JANIE?
HO! THAT'S *RIDICULOUS!* FUNNIEST THING I *EVER* HEARD!
NOW WAIT A MINUTE, YOUNG LADY!
CHILI, GIVE THE PROFESSOR A *CHANCE!* GO ON, SIR!
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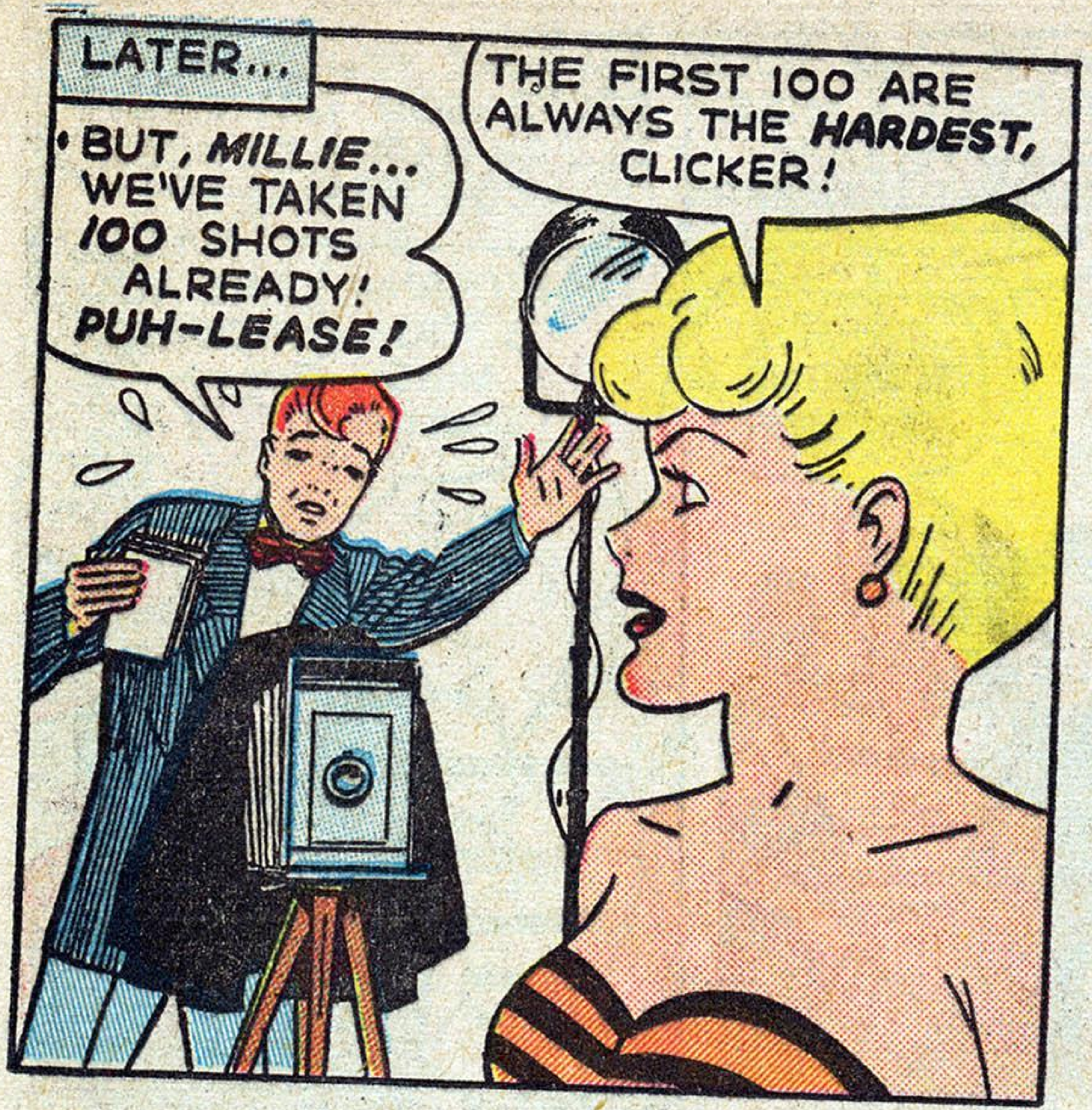
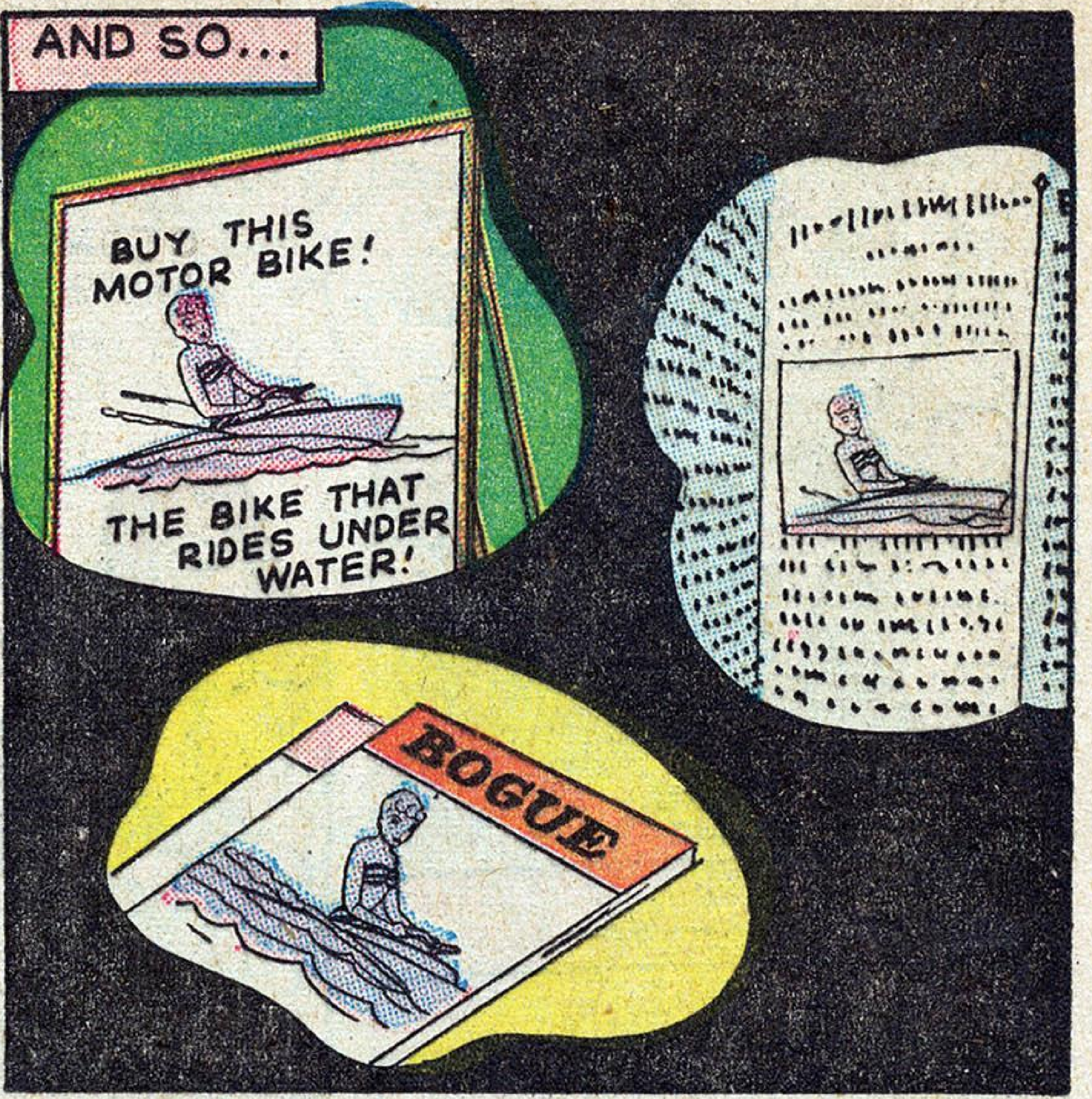
HA! HA! HA!
THANK YOU, MISS COLLINS! NOW MY NEW INVENTION IS THIS MOTOR BIKE THAT RIDES UNDER WATER!
WHAT ON EARTH?
MM... YOU DON'T SAY!
PARDON ME, PROFESSOR, BUT I THINK YOU'RE ALL WET!
WITH SOME GOOD PUBLICITY, MISS COLLINS, THIS BIKE WILL SWEEP THE COUNTRY!
OR GIVE SOMEONE A BRUSHOFF!
I'M SURE YOU'RE RIGHT, PROFESSOR ROTNEVNI! I'LL BE HAPPY TO POSE ON YOUR BIKE!
THANK YOU, MISS COLLINS!
MILLIE, ARE YOU KIDDING?
NO, JUST BALMY!
LATER...
MILLIE, YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS--FALLING FOR EVERY CRACKPOT SCHEME THAT COMES ALONG!
PROFESSOR ROTNEVNI IS A SWEET OLD MAN, CLICKER, AND HE DESERVES A HELPING HAND!
HAND? I'D LIKE TO GIVE HIM A FIST!
THAT'S WHY I KNOW YOU'LL BE HAPPY TO TAKE THE PICTURES FOR HIM TOMORROW MORNING!
TOMORROW? B—BUT THAT'S MY DAY OFF, MILLIE!
WON'T YOU, CLICKER, DEAR?
HUH? WH-- YEAH! YEAH, SURE! SURE, MILLIE!
THE NEXT DAY...
TAKEN IN BY EVERY FOOL INVENTOR THAT (MUMBLE!) (GRUMBLE!)...
HOW'S THIS, CLICKER?


LATER...
BUT, *MILLIE*... WE'VE TAKEN *100* SHOTS ALREADY! *PUH-LEASE!*
THE FIRST 100 ARE ALWAYS THE *HARDEST*, CLICKER!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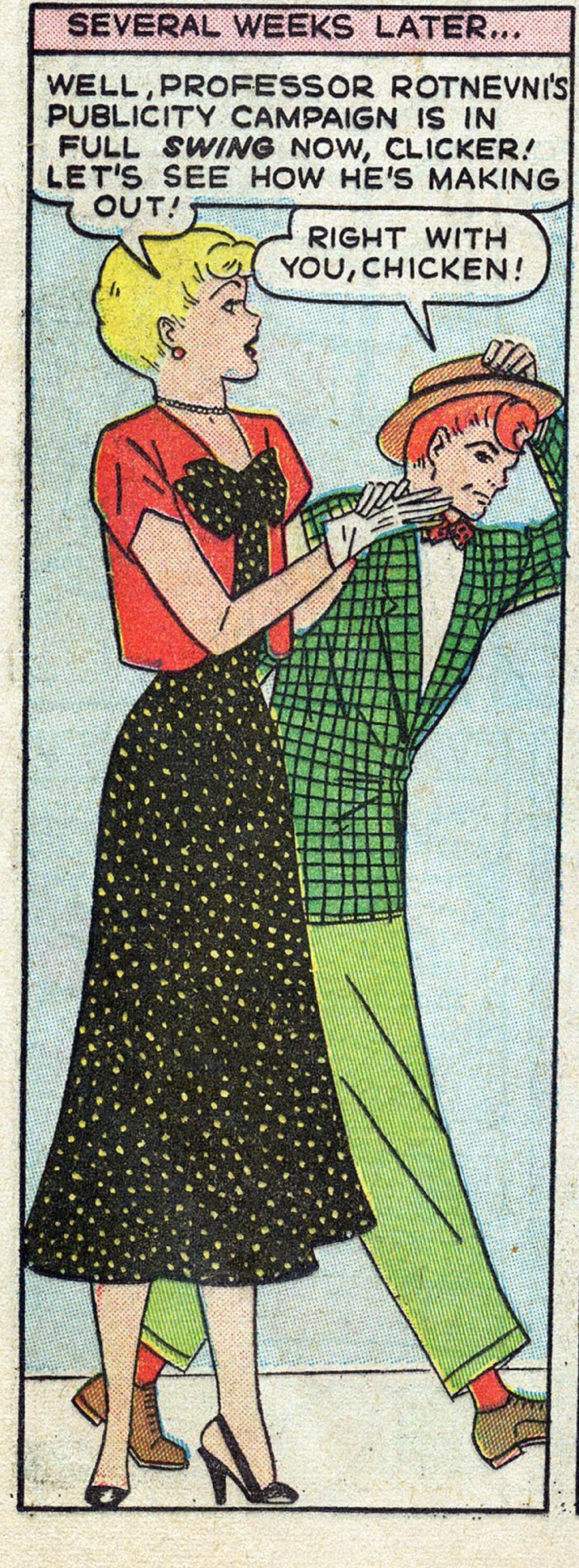
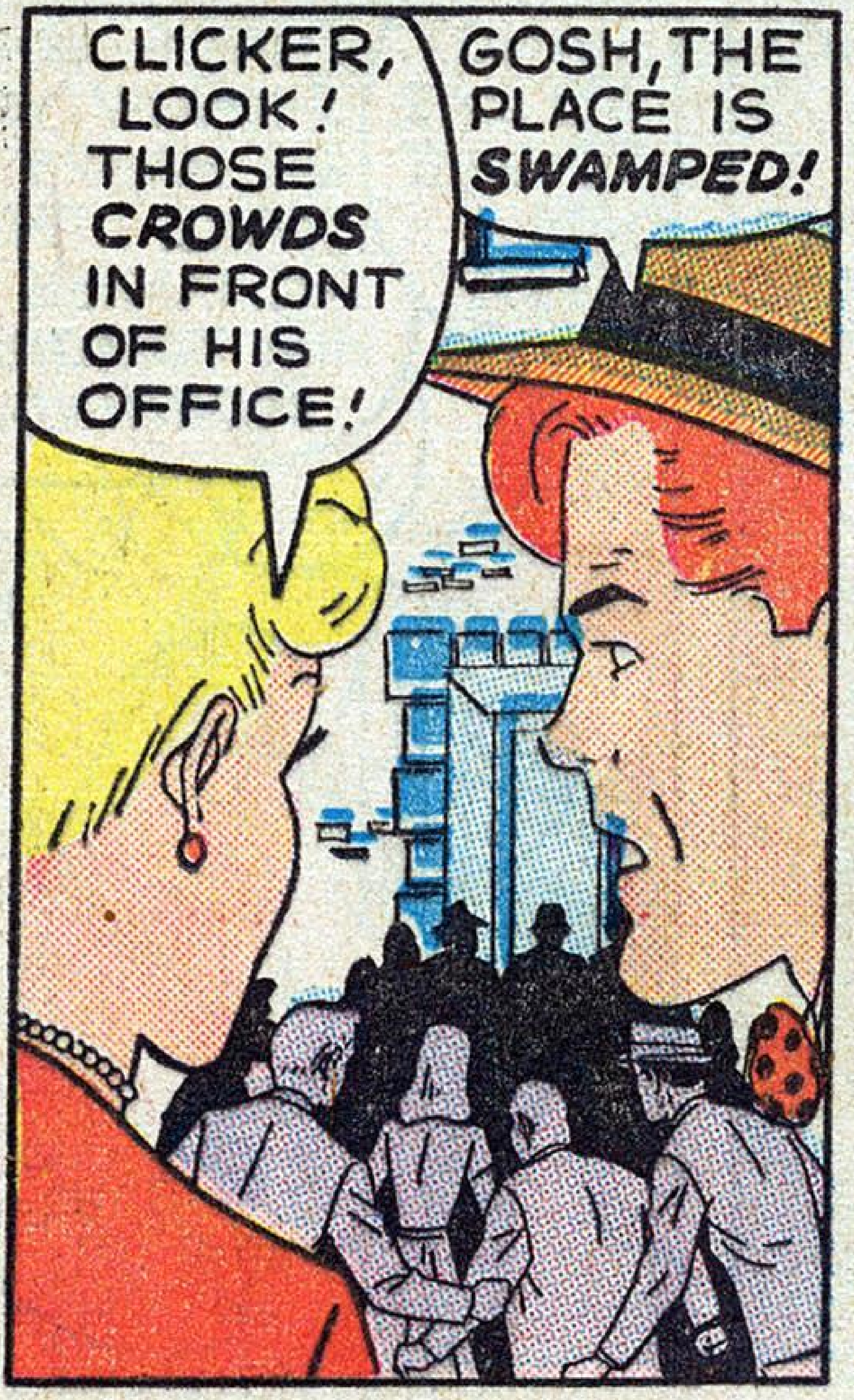
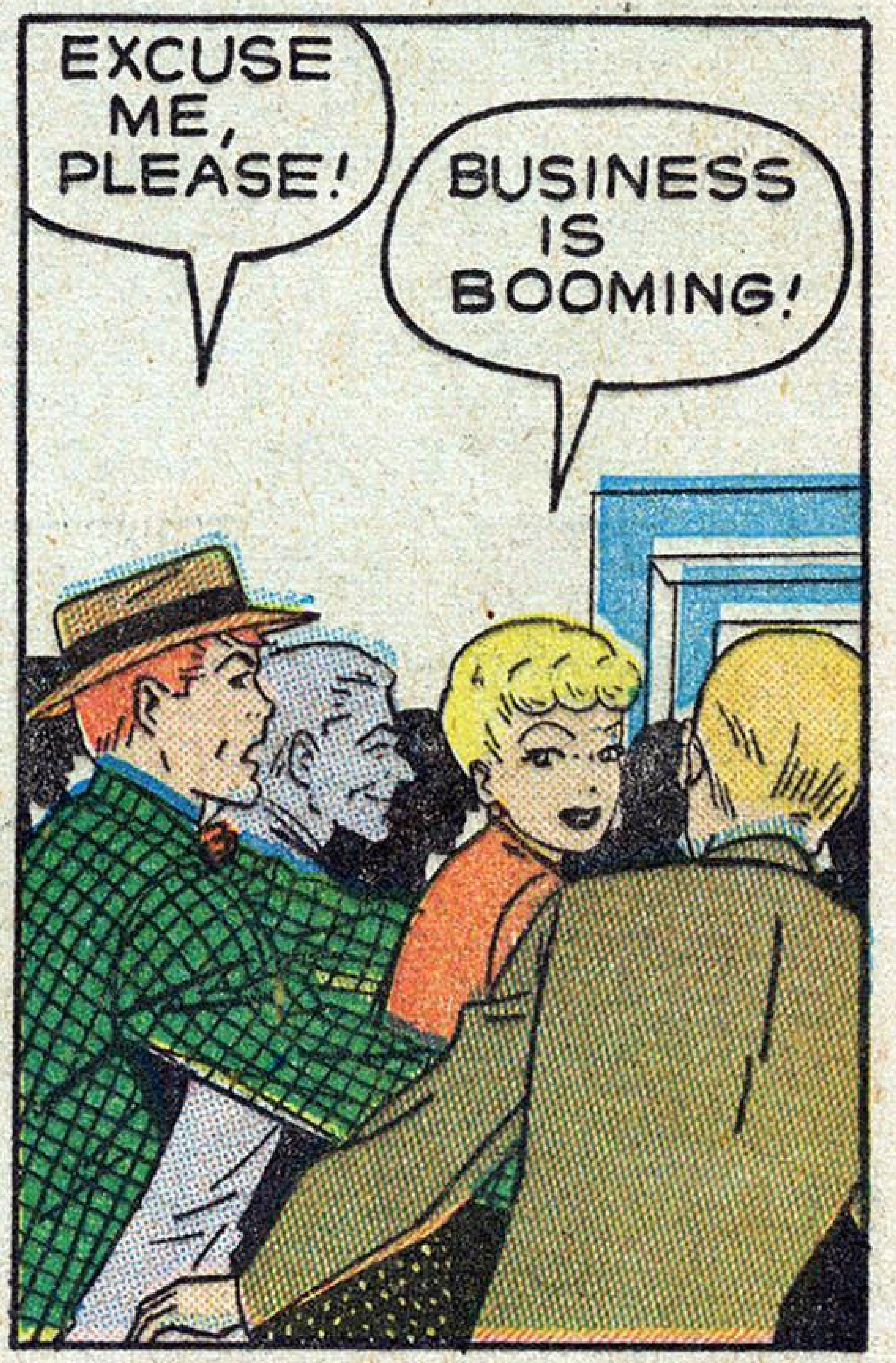
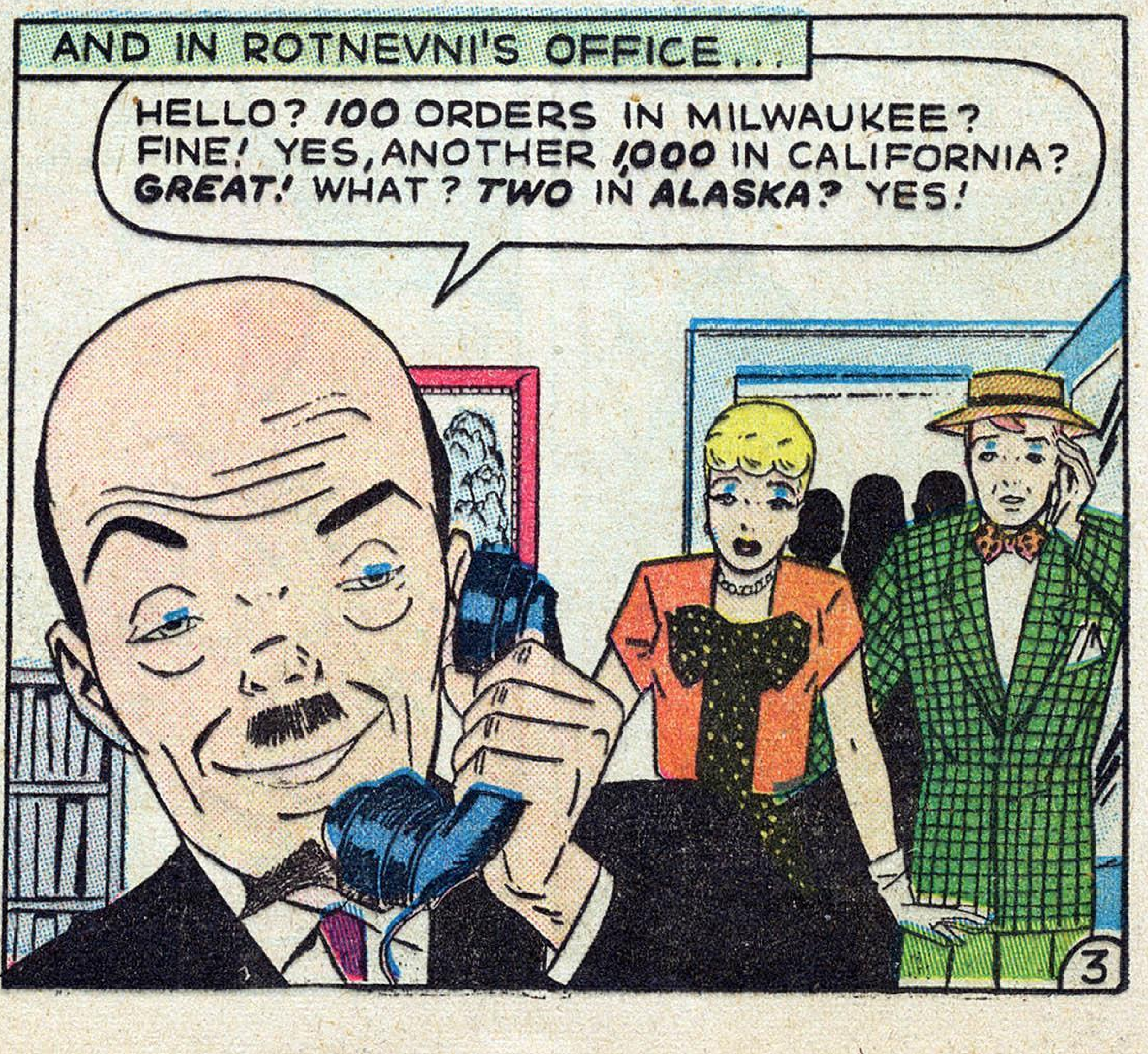
BUY THIS MOTOR BIKE!
THE BIKE THAT RIDES UNDER WATER!
BOGUE


SEVERAL WEEKS LATER...
WELL, PROFESSOR ROTNEVNI'S PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN IS IN FULL *SWING* NOW, CLICKER! LET'S SEE HOW HE'S MAKING OUT!
RIGHT WITH YOU, CHICKEN!


CLICKER, LOOK! THOSE *CROWDS* IN FRONT OF HIS OFFICE!
GOSH, THE PLACE IS *SWAMPED!*


EXCUSE ME, PLEASE!
BUSINESS IS BOOMING!


AND IN ROTNEVNI'S OFFICE...
HELLO? *100* ORDERS IN MILWAUKEE? FINE! YES, ANOTHER *1,000* IN CALIFORNIA? *GREAT!* WHAT? *TWO* IN *ALASKA?* YES!
3

HELLO, MILLIE... CLICKER! SIT DOWN, PLEASE! WHEW! THIS BUSINESS IS **KILLING** ME!
YOU'RE DOING **TERRIFICALLY** WELL, PROFESSOR!
YOU MUST BE SELLING **MILLIONS** OF MOTOR BIKES!
MOTOR BIKES? I'M NOT SELLING MOTOR BIKES, CLICKER!
B—BUT, THE **ORDERS**, PROFESSOR!
THE **PEOPLE!** THE LINES OUTSIDE!
OH, THEY'RE HERE FOR MY NEW **COLD CURE!** EVERYONE WHO BOUGHT A BIKE CAUGHT A COLD RIDING IT... SO I INVENTED A RAPID-FIRE **CURE** FOR THEIR COLDS!
WHAT?
SELLING **TEN THOUSAND TIMES** BETTER THAN THE BIKES, MY DEAR!
YOU MEAN... THOSE PEOPLE? THE ORDERS, FOR... COLDS?
WELL, **I'LL BE!**
NOW, ABOUT MY **NEW** BUSINESS... MY LATEST INVENTION... A BOAT THAT WILL **GLIDE THROUGH THE AIR!**
PROFESSOR? HAVE YOU EVER HEARD OF **AIRPLANES?**
ALL I NEED NOW IS A MODEL TO POSE ON IT! WITH A **LITTLE** PUBLICITY...
C-CLICKER!
THIS IS WHERE I CAME IN!
WHEN IT COMES TO INVENTIONS, I'VE GOT A COUPLA IDEAS OF MY **OWN** TO WORK ON!
THE END

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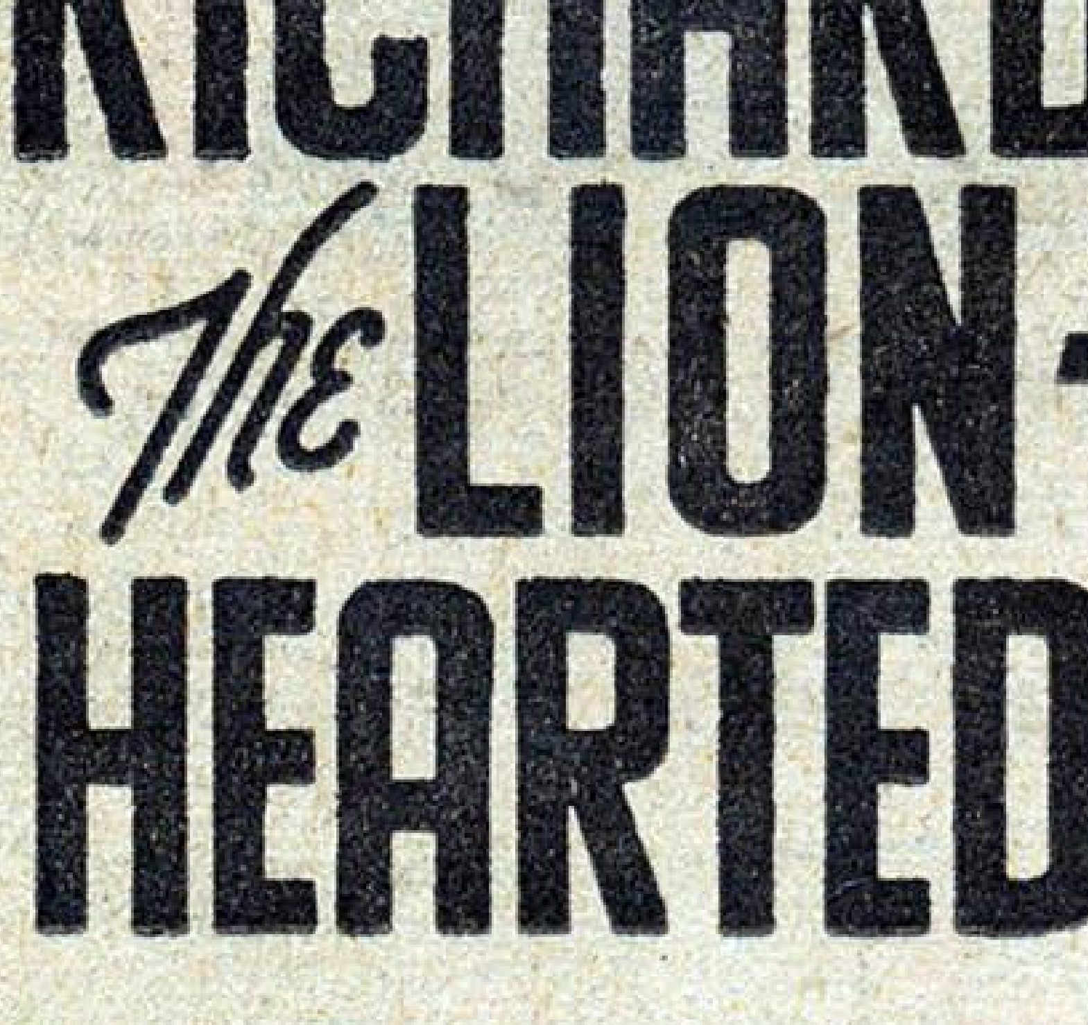

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STAMP NEWS

By KENT B. STILES

Most of the philatelic information which has appeared in this department recently has related to stamps being issued by the United States. That is not surprising, because the deluge of U. S. issues which began in January has continued uninterruptedly—until now it is certain that Uncle Sam's 1948 postal program calls for at least 29 stamps; and who knows but that there will be still others?

In addition to the ones previously noted in these columns, the Post Office Department either committed itself, or was directed either by Congress or President Truman, to the following before 1948 closed:

(1) A 3c purple honoring William Allen White (1868-1944), Emporia, Kansas, newspaper editor. Released on July 31, it bears his portrait.

(2) A 3c commemorating "Youth Month" (September). This was issued on Aug. 11 and pictures a girl and a boy walking with books under their arms, and "Saluting Young America" is inscribed.

(3) Honoring Juliette Gordon Lowe (1860-1927), who in 1912 organized the Girl Scouts of America.

(4) Honoring Moina Michael (1870-1944), who in 1918 originated the Flanders Field Poppy Day idea on behalf of disabled veterans and their dependents.

(5) Honoring Gold Star Mothers. A September release.

(6) For the semicentenary of the organizing of Theodore Roosevelt's Rough Riders in the Spanish-American War.

(7) Honoring the American Turner Society.

(8) Commemorating the dedication of the Mount Palomar Observatory in California.

(9) Centenary of the poultry industry.

(10) Centenary of Fort Bliss, Texas.

(11) Eighty-fifth anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's immortal Gettysburg Address.

Regarding the stamps mentioned in earlier numbers of this magazine, the following information is of interest:

The stamp for the semicentenary of the consolidation of Manhattan, the Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Staten Island into the greater city of New York is an airmail 5c red released on July 31. The design is a map within a ring bearing inscriptions including Golden Anniversary".

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SKIDSY, DID YOU MAKE THEM SEE EYE TO EYE?
"ROMANTIC RUN-AROUND!"
3572
MSW
OH, HOW HORRIBLE!
SKIDSY, SOMETHING TERRIBLE HAS HAPPENED! COME RIGHT OVER!
OKAY!
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A LITTLE LATER...
WHAT IS IT, TESSIE?
OOH, SKIDSY, IT'S GHASTLY! SIMPLY GHASTLY!
WELL, DON'T KEEP ME SUSPENDED LIKE THIS! WHAT IS IT?
AL AND GLADYS HAVE HAD A QUARREL!
WHEW! IS THAT ALL?
IS THAT ALL? WHY, SKIDSY, THEY'VE BROKEN THEIR ENGAGEMENT!
AND YOU ARE GOING TO PATCH THINGS UP BETWEEN THEM!
HUH?
OH, NO!
OH, YES!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO GET ME TO STICK MY NECK OUT THIS TIME!
SKIDSY, IF YOU DON'T HAVE ENOUGH REGARD FOR TRUE LOVE TO BRING LOVERS TOGETHER, I CANNOT HAVE MUCH REGARD FOR YOUR AFFECTIONS FOR ME!
AH, PHOOEY!

I'M SURE SKIDSY WILL BE ABLE TO PATCH UP THINGS BETWEEN GLADYS AND AL!
I HOPE GLADYS WILL LISTEN TO ME!
B-RING!
SKIDSY!
HELLO, GLADYS! I CAME OVER TO FIX THINGS UP BETWEEN YOU AND AL!
I **REFUSE** TO SPEAK ABOUT AL!
COME, COME, GLADYS! YOU KNOW AL IS A GREAT GUY!
OH, HE **IS?** HE NEVER BRINGS ME GIFTS, HE LOOKS AT OTHER GIRLS, HE KEEPS PUTTING OFF OUR MARRIAGE PLANS, AND BESIDES, I TOLD YOU I WOULD **NOT** SPEAK ABOUT AL!
GEE, ALL I WANTED TO DO IS SMOOTH THINGS OUT FOR YOU!
AFTER WHAT I TOLD YOU ABOUT HIM, DON'T YOU AGREE THAT AL IS A **CAD?**
WELL, MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT!
HOW DARE YOU CALL AL A **CAD?**
BAM!

I'LL BET SKIDSY HAS PATCHED UP EVERYTHING BETWEEN THEM!
HEY, AL!
HELLO, SKIDSY!
SAY, AL, WHY DON'T YOU AND GLADYS TALK THINGS OVER?
NOT ON YOUR LIFE! SHE'S THE MOST UNREASONABLE GIRL IN THE WORLD!
AW, NO SHE'S NOT!
OH, NO? ALL SHE WANTS ME TO DO IS SPEND MONEY! SHE'S ALWAYS DEMANDING GIFTS, SHOWS, NIGHTCLUBS, AND BESIDES, SHE'S FICKLE! WHAT DO YOU THINK OF HER NOW?
GOLLY, MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT!
WHAT D'YA MEAN I'M RIGHT? GLADYS IS A GOOD, SWEET GIRL!
BAM!
THE DOORBELL! THAT MUST BE SKIDSY NOW!
R-RING!
SKIDSY!
H'LO!

I CAN SEE YOU **FAILED!**
I NEVER SHOULD HAVE LET MYSELF GET TALKED INTO IT!
VERY WELL, I'LL DO IT ***MYSELF,*** JUST TO SHOW YOU HOW SIMPLE IT IS!
I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN SKIDSY WOULD BUNGLE IT!
HELLO, TESSIE!
AL! I WANT TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT GLADYS!
SAY, I'VE GOT A PAIR OF MOVIE PASSES FOR TONIGHT! WHY NOT GO WITH ME AND WE'LL HAVE PLENTY OF TIME TO TALK.
NOT MUCH LATER...
TESSIE, LET'S GO TO A MOVIE, TONIGHT!
OH, I'M SO SORRY, SKIDSY, BUT I'M GOING TO THE MOVIES WITH AL TONIGHT!
SO THAT'S IT!
SKIDSY, ARE YOU LOSING YOUR TEMPER AGAIN?

I'M NOT GOING TO TAKE THIS LYING DOWN!
CRASH!
I HAD TO OPEN MY BIG MOUTH!
PLOP!
SKIDSY! YOU AGAIN?
DO YOU KNOW WHAT AL'S UP TO NOW? HE'S TAKING TESSIE OUT!
WELL, DON'T YOU WORRY! WE'LL FIX HIM!
IF AL CAN GO OUT WITH TESSIE, THERE'S NO REASON WHY I CAN'T GO OUT WITH YOU!
NOW YOU'RE COOKIN'!
GOLLY, IT WAS A WONDERFUL MOVIE, AL!
YEAH, IT WAS SWELL, TESSIE!
NOW P NG

NEXT MORNING...
AL?
GLADYS, I WANT TO TALK TO YOU!
AND I NEVER WANT TO TALK TO YOU AGAIN, ESPECIALLY SINCE YOU'RE GOING OUT WITH TESSIE!
BUT, PET, WE JUST TALKED ABOUT YOU!
I'M NOT INTERESTED IN WHAT YOU TALKED ABOUT! BESIDES, I'M GOING OUT WITH SKIDSY!
WHAT?
A LITTLE LATER...
HELLO, AL! DID YOU TALK TO GLADYS?
YEAH, AND I FOUND OUT THAT SHE'S GOING OUT WITH SKIDSY!
WITH SKIDSY?
I'LL HAVE A LITTLE TALK WITH SKIDSY!
R-RING!
SPENCER

HELLO, TESSIE DARLING!
DON'T YOU DARLING ME! I KNOW YOU'RE TAKING GLADYS OUT!
WELL, WHAT ABOUT YOUR GOING OUT WITH AL?
I WAS MERELY TRYING TO GET HIM TOGETHER WITH GLADYS!
WELL, I'M NOT SO SURE!
SKIDSY, I'M BEGINNING TO LOSE MY PATIENCE WITH YOU!
I'LL ASK AL MYSELF!
AND I'LL GO WITH YOU!
SKIDSY, LOOK!
GOSH!
IT'S AL AND GLADYS... TOGETHER AGAIN!
AL SURE IS LUCKY TO HAVE A GIRL LIKE GLADYS! SHE'S SO SWEET, PRETTY, AND SMART! I CAN'T SEE HOW HE COULD GIVE HER UP FOR A MOMENT! SHE'S WONDERFUL!
SO YOU THINK SHE'S WONDERFUL, EH? YOU NEVER SAY NICE THINGS ABOUT ME! YOU LIKE HER BETTER THAN ME! OH YOU CAD!
YOU CAN'T WIN!
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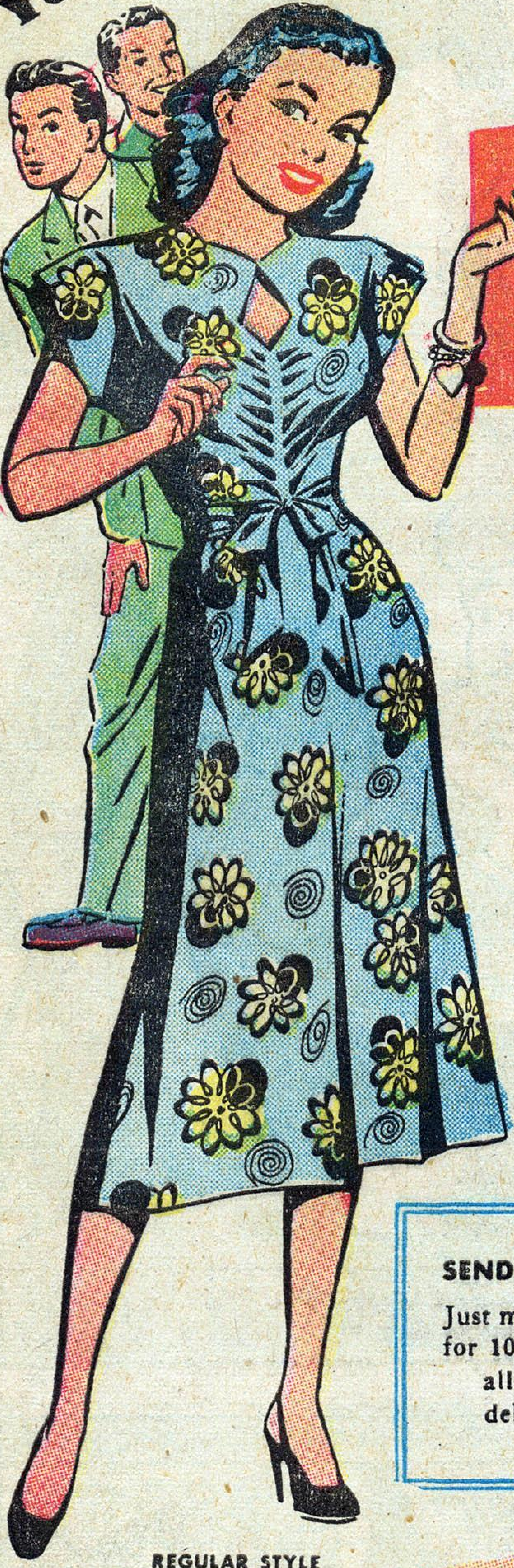

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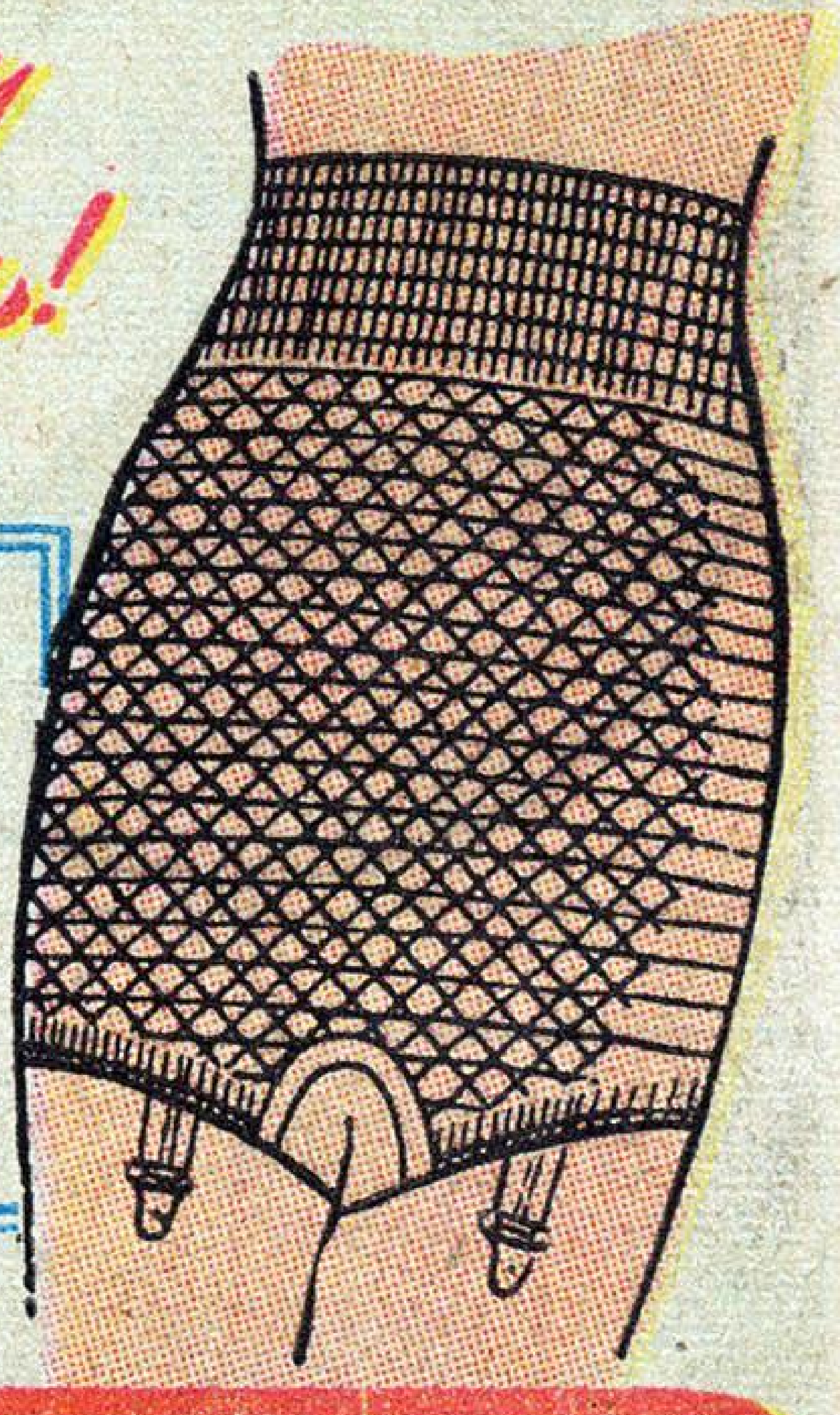

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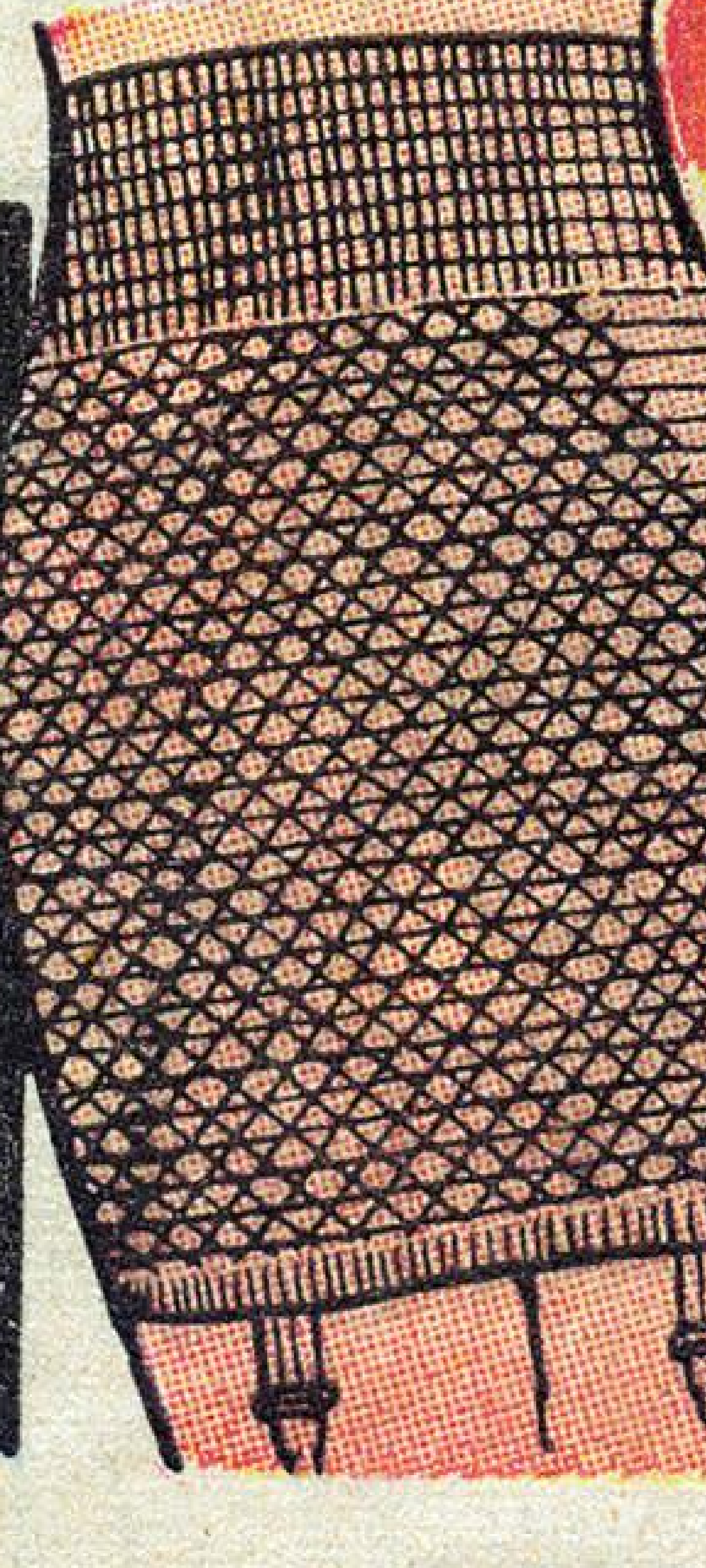

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HEY, JOE! IF YOU'RE LATE ONCE MORE I'LL HAVE TO GET ANOTHER *WAITER!*
(DUH!) CHEE, I'M SORRY, BOSS! (DUH!)
GOLLY, MICKEY! HOW I WISH YOU HAD THE CONTINENTAL ***CHARM*** OF THAT ***DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN*** WHO-JUST WALKED IN!
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3552
YOU REALIZE THAT THIS MEANS NO OTHER DATES WITH ***OTHER*** MEN?
OH, MICKEY! I WOULDN'T ***DREAM*** OF IT AFTER THIS!
MICKEY'S CLASS RING!
LATER, IN LANA'S ROOM IN THE BOARDING HOUSE...
THE MOST WONDERFUL THING ABOUT LOVE IS THAT IT MAKES YOU ***UNSELFISH!***
IN THAT CASE, HONEY, YOU WON'T MIND IF I WEAR YOUR DARK NYLONS TOMORROW!
MAY I COME IN?
1

COME IN, KID! HOW'S THE BALLET BUSINESS?
IT'S NOT VERY GOOD! IN FACT, I CAME TO ASK IF EITHER OF YOU COULD LEND ME A LITTLE MONEY UNTIL... UNTIL...
OH, ***SURE***, SUZIE, I'D BE ***GLAD*** TO!
OH, THANKS VERY MUCH! YOU SEE, RIGHT NOW, I'M TRYING TO GET INTO L'AMERIQUE, THE NEW BALLET! BUT NO ONE SEEMS TO KNOW WHERE OR WHEN THE TRYOUTS ARE! OH, I'D LOVE TO WORK FOR HIM!
WHO'S ***HIM?***
OH, EVE, HE'S ***PIERRE BEAUVAIS***, THE GREAT FRENCH CHOREOGRAPHER! HE'S HERE AND HE'S DOING THE CASTING FOR L'AMERIQUE!
YOU MEAN YOU CAN'T FIND HIM FOR THE TRYOUTS? IS IT A SECRET?
POOR KID! SHE LOOKS ALL DONE IN!
SHE'S A GOOD DANCER, TOO! I'VE SEEN HER! BEAUVAIS WOULD PROBABLY HIRE HER IF HE SAW HER! GOSH, I'M TIRED! LET'S TURN IN EARLY!
LATER THAT NIGHT...
LANA! WAKE UP! I'VE GOT AN IDEA ON HOW TO LOCATE PIERRE BEAUVAIS!
HUUUUH? WHAAA...?
GET YOUR ROBE ON! IT'S ELEVEN-THIRTY! HE'LL STILL BE UP!
BUT WE DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE HE'S STAYING!
AT THE TELEPHONE IN THE LIVING ROOM...
TRY THE PLAZA! ALL THE BIG SHOTS STAY THERE!

MONSIEUR BEAUVAIS' SUITE, PLEASE!
NOW TURN ON THE **ACCENT** AND LET HIM HAVE IT! DON'T GIVE HIM A CHANCE! THIS IS A **REAL** TEST FOR YOUR TALENT!
WHAT NAME SHALL I USE?
UH, FIFI... UH, FIFI LA FEE!
MICKEY ENTERS AND HE OVERHEARS...
PIERRE, CHERIE? 'OW ARE YOU? EET EES SO SWEET TO 'EAR YOUR VOICE! THEES EES FIFI! YOU REMEMBER, NO? FIFI OF THE FOLLIES BERGERE! OO-LA-LA! NO?
?
ABOUT THIS TIME, CLARA BRIGHT COMES IN, TOO...
WAS LANA EVER IN PARIS?
IF SHE WAS, SHE SOUNDS LIKE SHE HAD A **LOVELY** TIME!
BUT, NATURELLEMENT, I 'AVE A BOY FRIEND, BUT 'E IS WHAT YOU SAY **TEMPORARY**, NO?
THAT EES GOOD! SUPPOSE YOU 'AVE DINNER WEETH ME TOMORROW?
'OW **SWEET**, PIERRE! BUT I **MUS'** SEE YOU BEFORE ZEN! YOU ARE WHERE TOMORROW MORNING? I MUS' 'AVE YOU MEET A WONN-DER-FUL CHILD! A MARVELEUSE DANCER!
EH, GOOD, CHERIE! COME TO THE LAMBERT THEATER ABOUT ELEVEN, YES? I 'AVE CASTING THEN!

LET'S WAKE UP THE KID AND TELL HER!
HE HUNG ON MY EVERY WORD, EVE! AND TOMORROW NIGHT AT DINNER, HE SAYS! HI, MICKEY!
HENRI, A FIFI LA FEE ... DID I EVER KNOW SUCH A PERSON?
FIFI LA FEE? IF MONSIEUR DOES NOT REMEMBER HER, WE DO NOT KNOW HER!
HMMMM... FIFI LA FEE! THERE IS NO SUCH A ONE! SHE IS TRYING TO PULL ZE LEG OF THE GREAT BEAUVAIS! SHE HAS A LEETLE FRIEN'... CLEVAIR GIRLS THESE AMERICANS! BUT BEAUVAIS... HE IS CLEVERER!
SUZIE, WAKE UP, WE'VE GOT NEWS!
WHO IS IT?
YEP, BERNHARDT HERE, HAS FOUND OUT WHERE THAT TRYOUT IS WITH BEAUVAIS! AND YOU'RE GOING!
OH, GIRLS! YOU'RE WONDERFUL! I DON'T KNOW HOW TO THANK YOU!
NEXT MORNING...
LAMBERT Theater STAGE DOOR
WHEN SHE ARRIVES, HENRI, GIVE HER THESE FLOWERS AND THE CARD!
YES, MONSIEUR, BUT...
AND AS LANA PREPARES TO LEAVE...
WAIT! A DROP OF "TOUJOURS AMOUR" AND YOU'LL EVEN SMELL FRENCH!
LANA, YOU LOOK MARVELOUS!
DON'T FORGET TO CALL ME FIFI, SUZIE!

ZE LAMBERT THEATER! COME, CABBEE...QUICKLY!
LANA! I MEAN, FIFI! YOU'RE **WONDERFUL!**
AT THE THEATER...
MONSIEUR BEAUVAIS, 'E EXPECTS ME!
MADEMOISELLE LA FEE? MONSIEUR BEAUVAIS SAID TO GIVE YOU THESE BEFORE YOU GO IN!
'OW SWEET! MMMMMM! 'OW BEAUTIFUL!
AND THIS CARD, MADEMOISELLE!
OO-LA-LA! LET ME SEE IT!
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Fifi, my sweet: I look forward to our meeting. It has been so long since we last met. I eagerly await your arrival! Until then— Your Pierre
IN HERE, MADEMOISELLE!
SUZIE, MA PETITE, GO GET YOUR DANCE CLOTHES ON, OUI?
FIFI, MON AMOUR! YOU LOOK **WONDERFUL...** COME LET ME **KEES** YOU!
NON! NON! NOT **'ERE**, PIERRE!

COME DOWN TO THE ORCHESTRA! I WANT YOU TO SEE MY PETITE DANCER! SHE IS *PERFEECT* FOR YOUR NEW BALLET, CHERI!
OUI, BUT, YES, MY SWEET! BUT 'OW CAN I TAKE MY EYES OFF *YOU* FOR EVEN A *MOMENT?*
HMMM... UH, HUH! GOOD ELEVATION! GOOD PIROUETTES! VERY NICE!
I AM SO *'APPY* YOU LIKE 'ER, PIERRE! SHE WILL DO WELL FOR YOUR BALLET, NO?
MEES SMEETH, YOU MAY REPORT FOR REHEARSAL AT 10:00 *TOMORROW!* AND NOW, MY LEETLE ONE, I SHALL TAKE YOU *'OME!*
OH, THANK YOU, SIR!
NO, NO, PIERRE! EET EES NOT *NECESSAIRE!* WE WEEL TAKE A *TAXI!*
BUT, PIERRE! YOU MUS' 'AVE WORK TO DO! YOU NEED NOT BOTHER!
NONSENSE, FIFI! I WANT TO KNOW WHERE YOU LEEVE, ANYWAY, SO HENRI CAN COME FOR YOU TONIGHT! *REMEMBER?*
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AT THE BOARDING HOUSE...
DO NOT FORGET, LEETLE ONE! I SHALL BE HERE AT SEVEN TO MAKE IT A *VERRY LONG EVENING!*
YOU WILL *NOT!*
KISS
MICKEY, PLEASE! PIERRE, EXCUSEZ, 'E IS A LEETLE *JEALOUS*, PERHAPS?
NEVAIR MIND, FIFI... OR WHOEVER YOU ARE... IT WAS A VERY CLEVAIR TRICK, AND I'M GLAD I SAW MISS SMITH! SHE WAS GOOD! I KNEW ALL ZE TIME YOU WERE NOT ZE FRENCH LADY!
WELL! OF ALL THE...
AND HE LET ME GO ON MAKING A *FOOL* OF MYSELF!
I *DISAGREE*, LANA! AFTER ALL, SUZIE GOT HER JOB, PIERRE HAS A DANCER, AND WHAT'S MORE *IMPORTANT*... I *STILL* HAVE *YOU!*
AU REVOIR, "FIFI"... HA, HA!
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THE END

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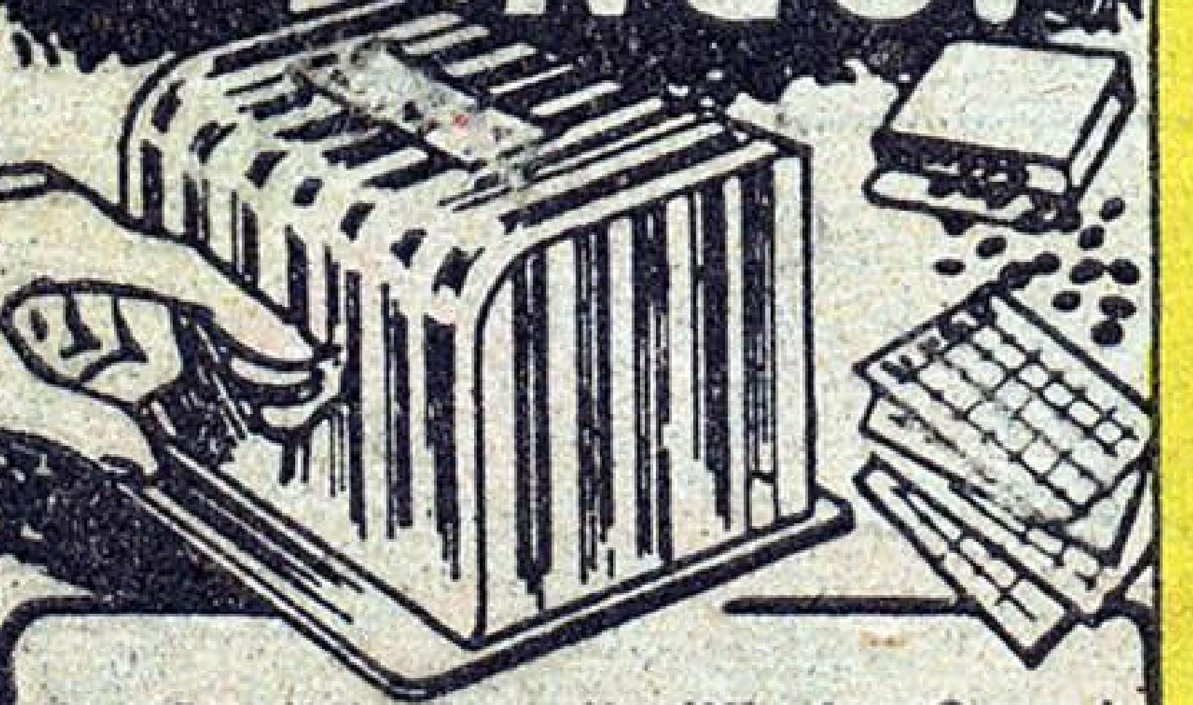

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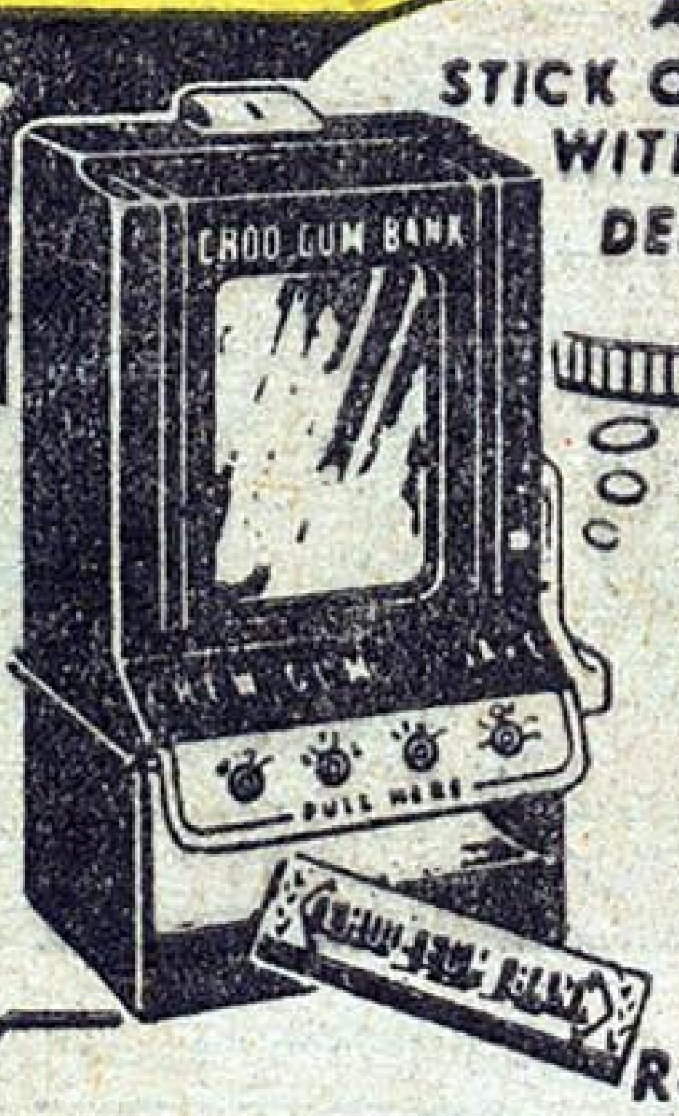
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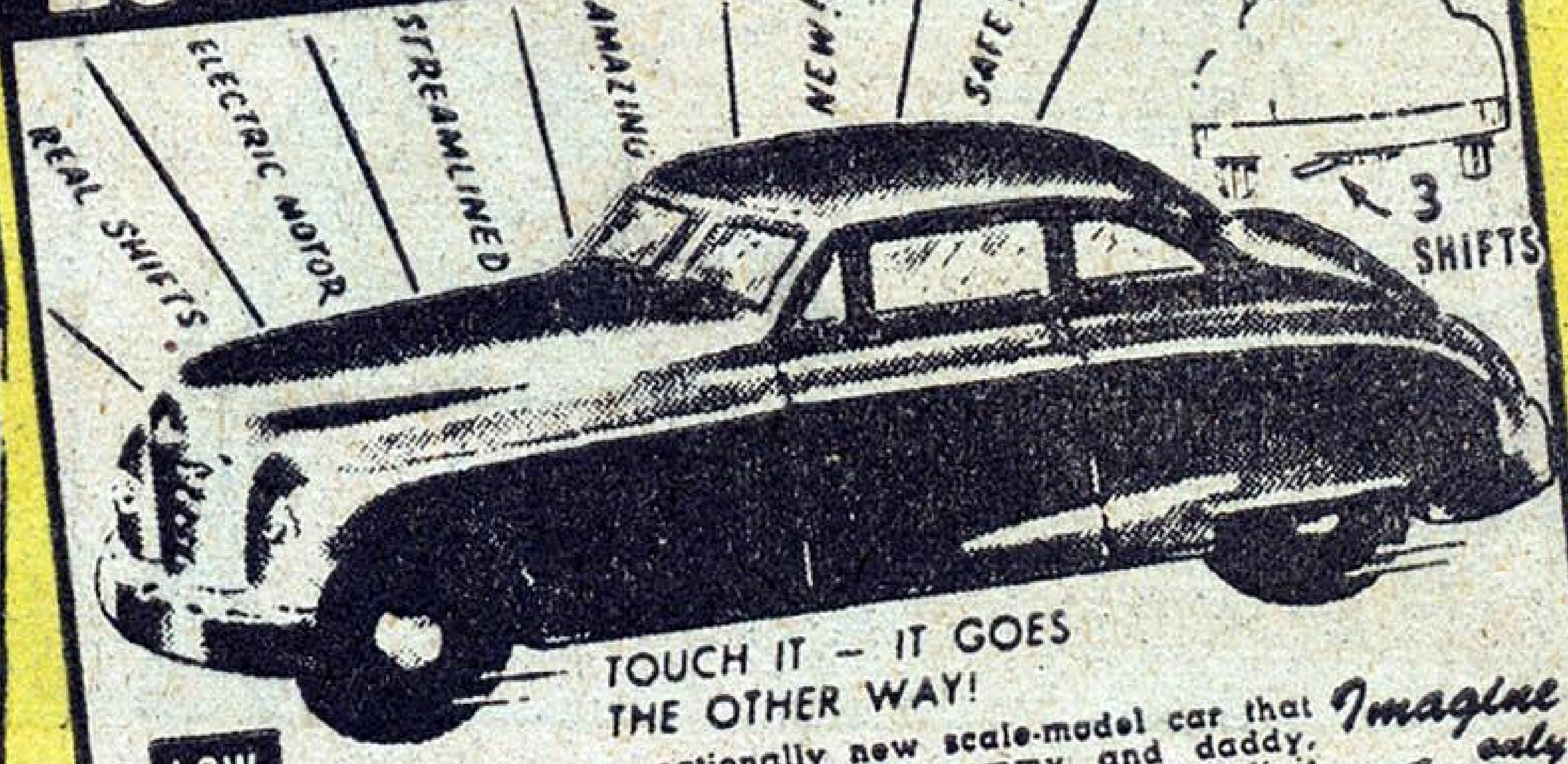

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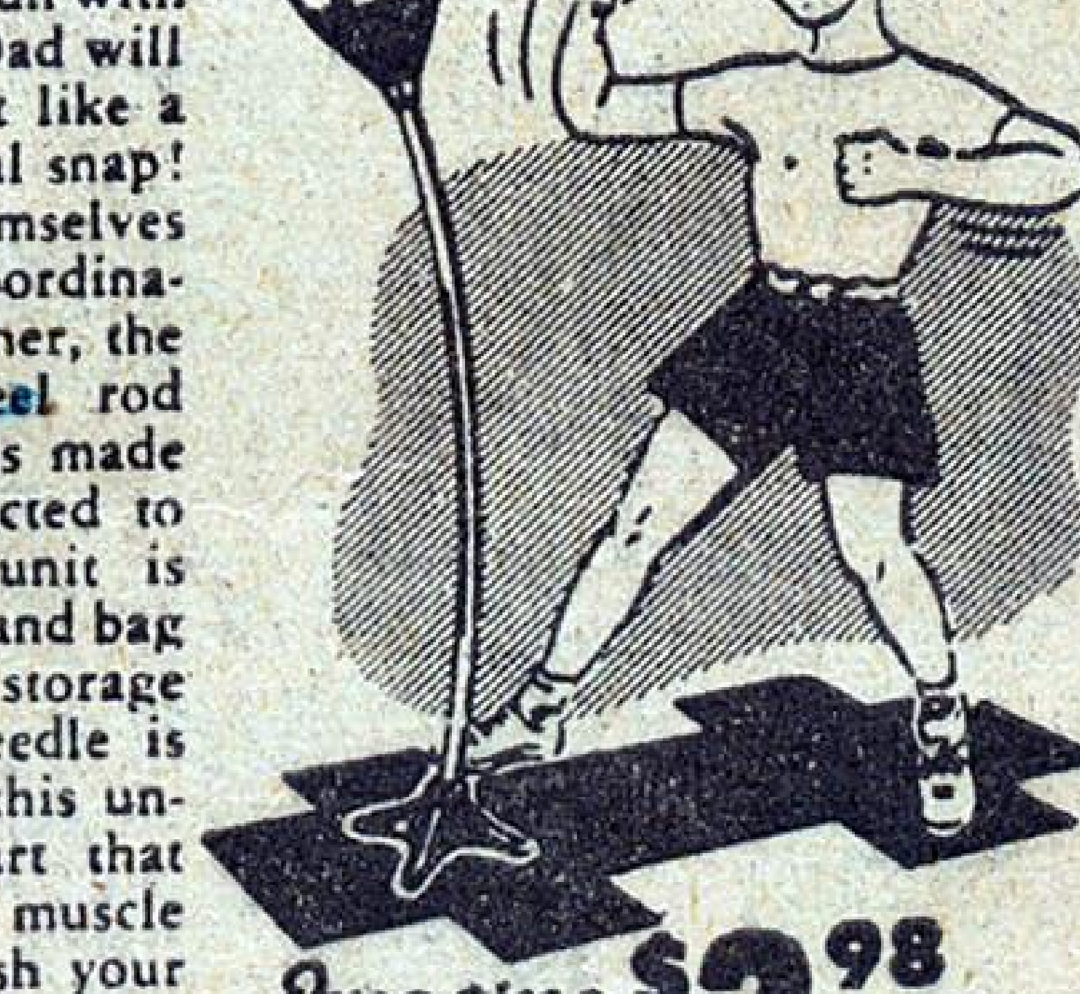

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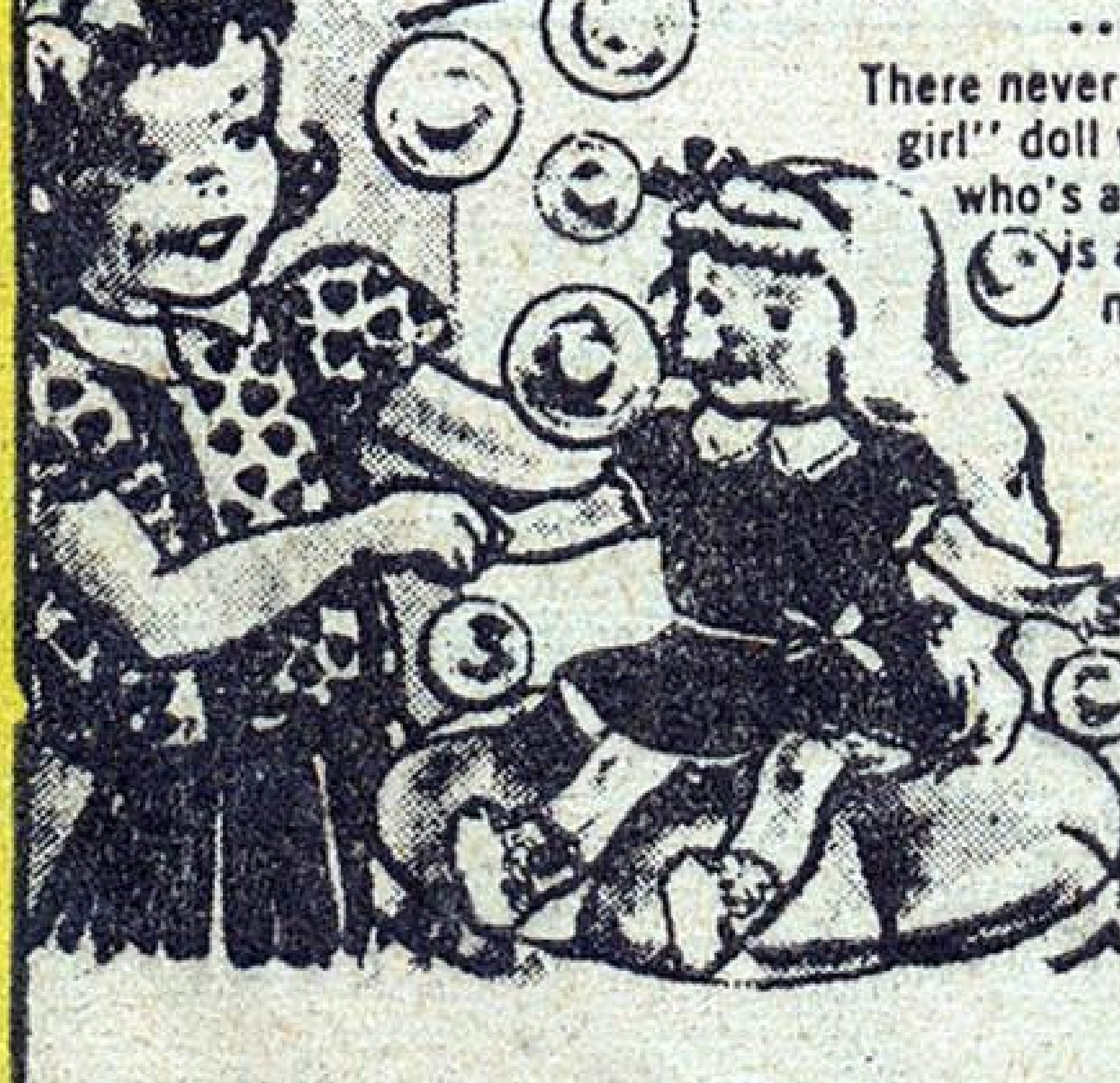

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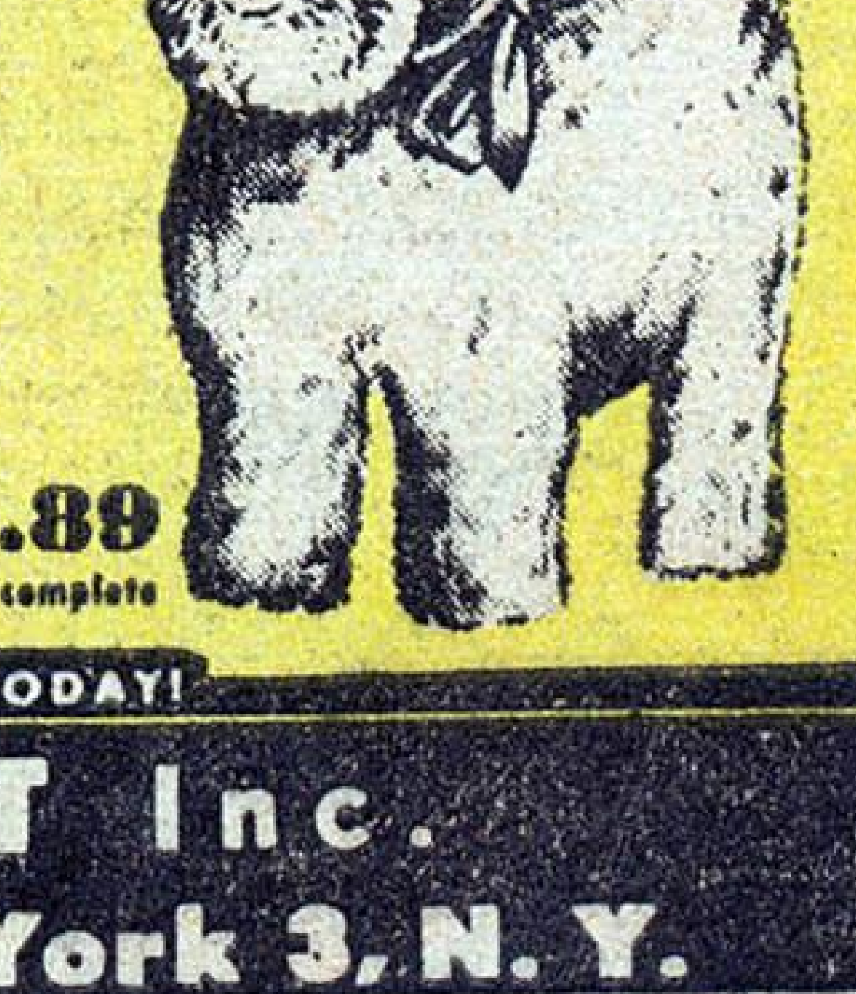

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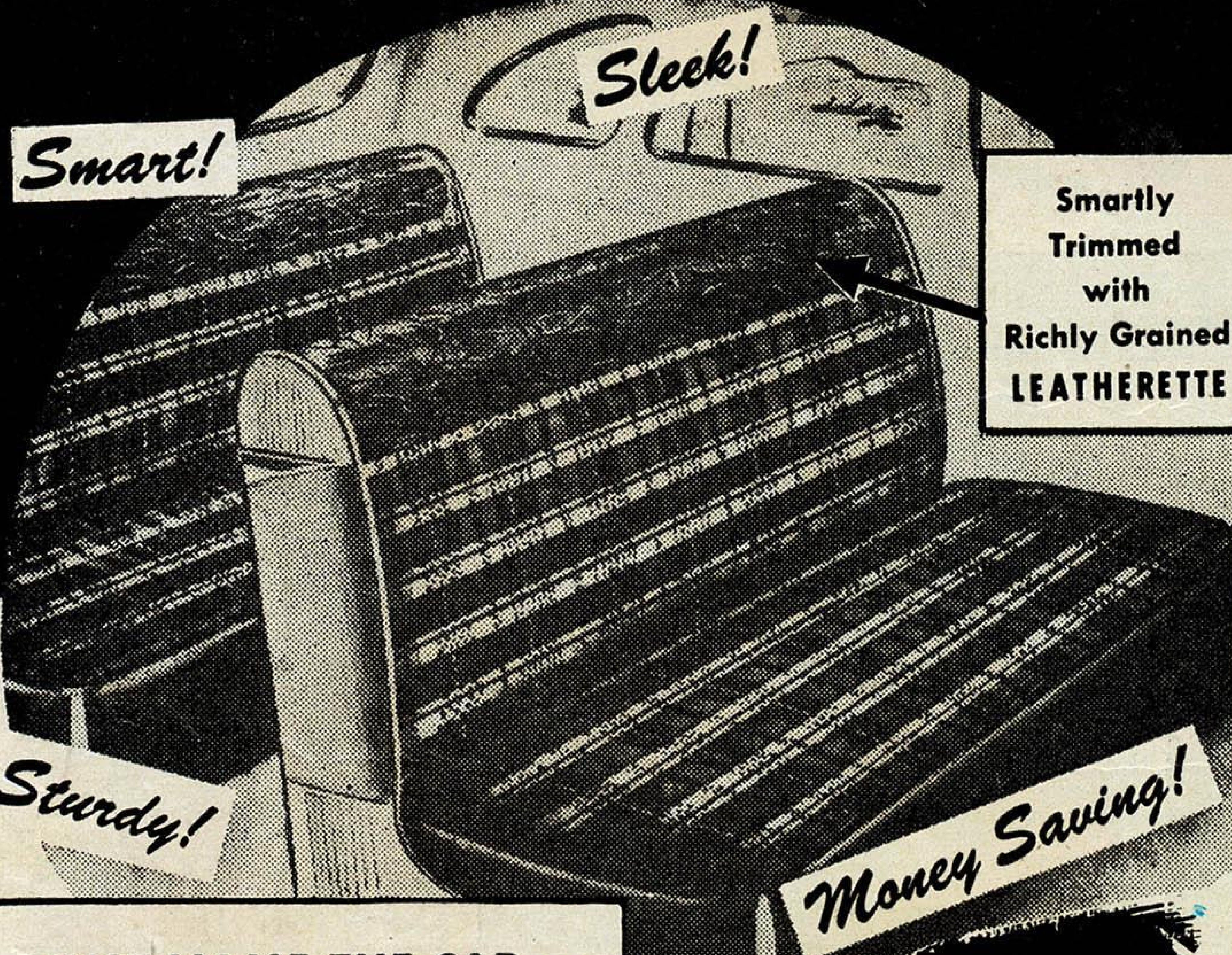
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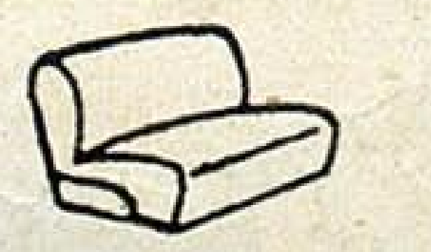

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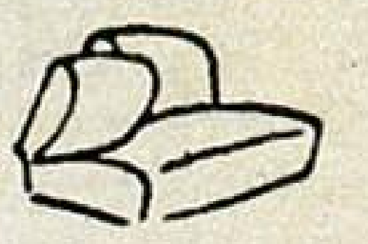

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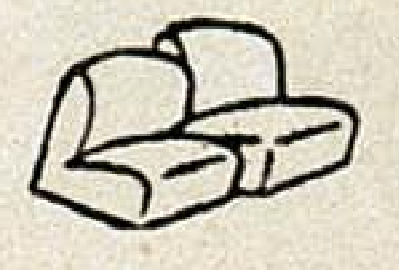

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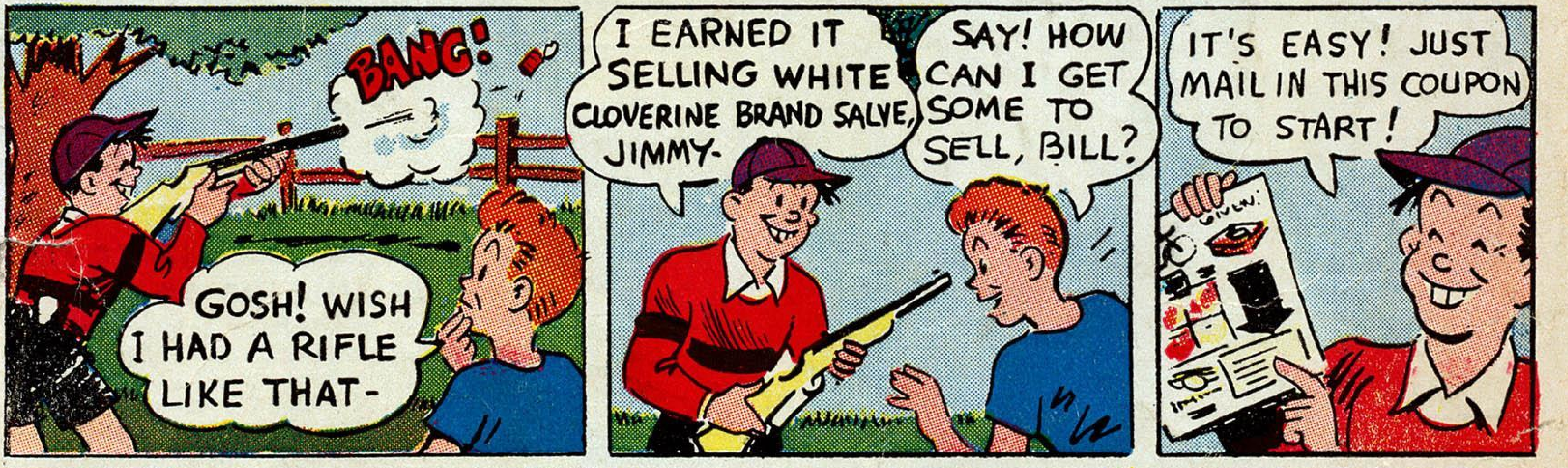
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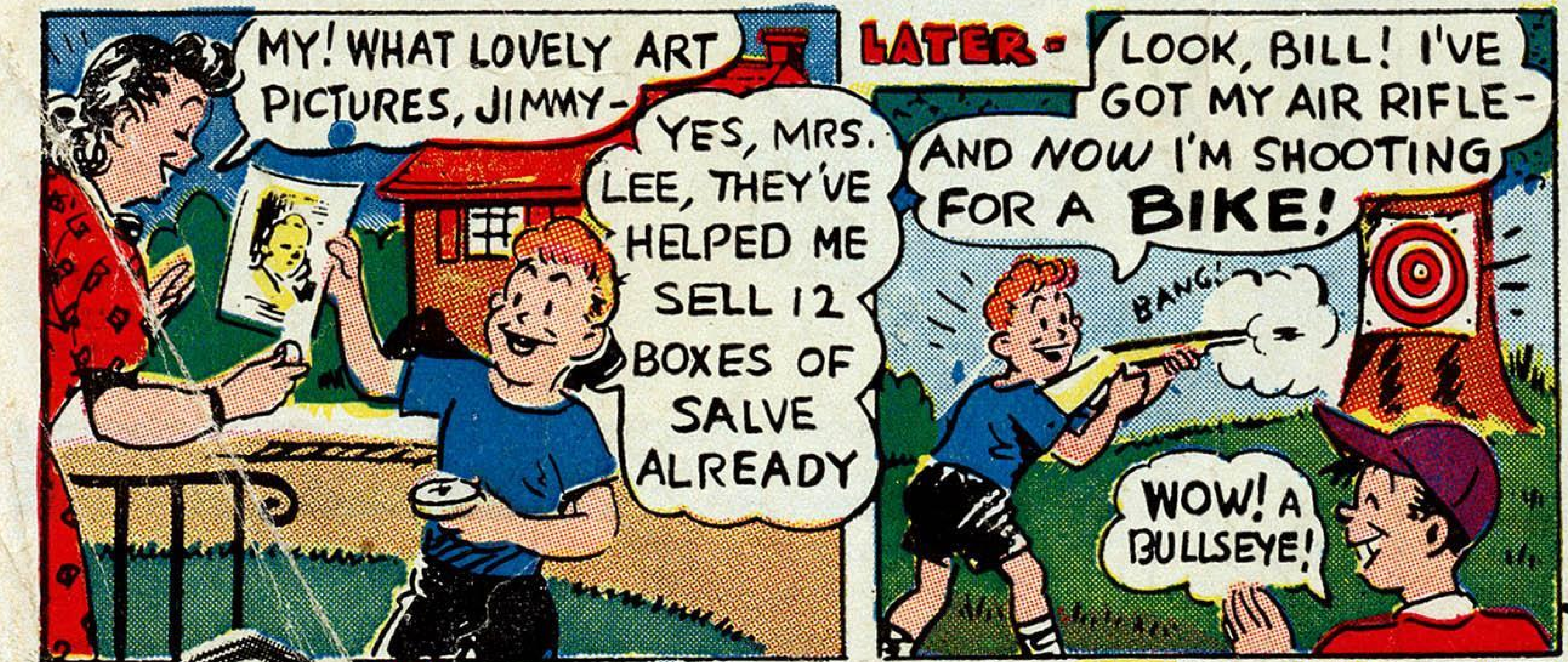
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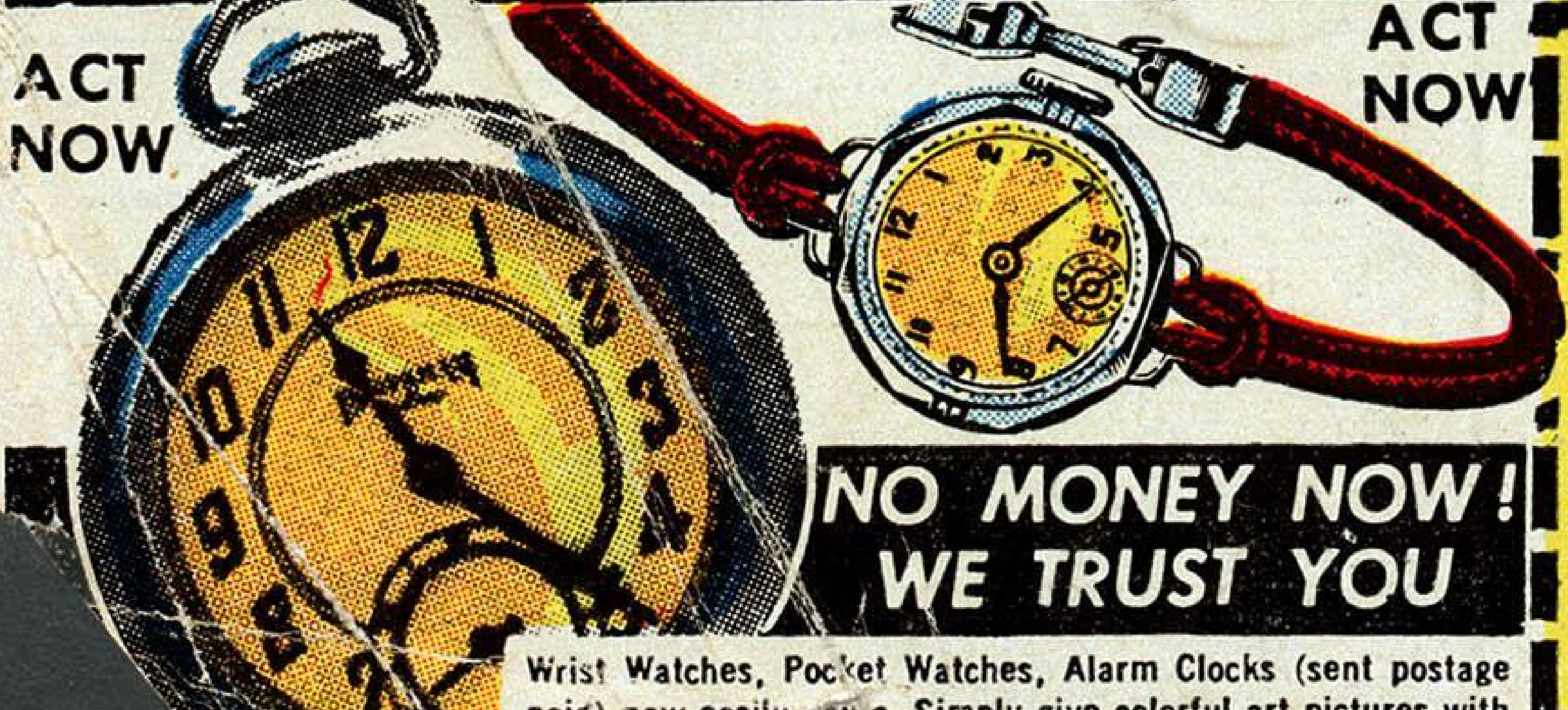
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